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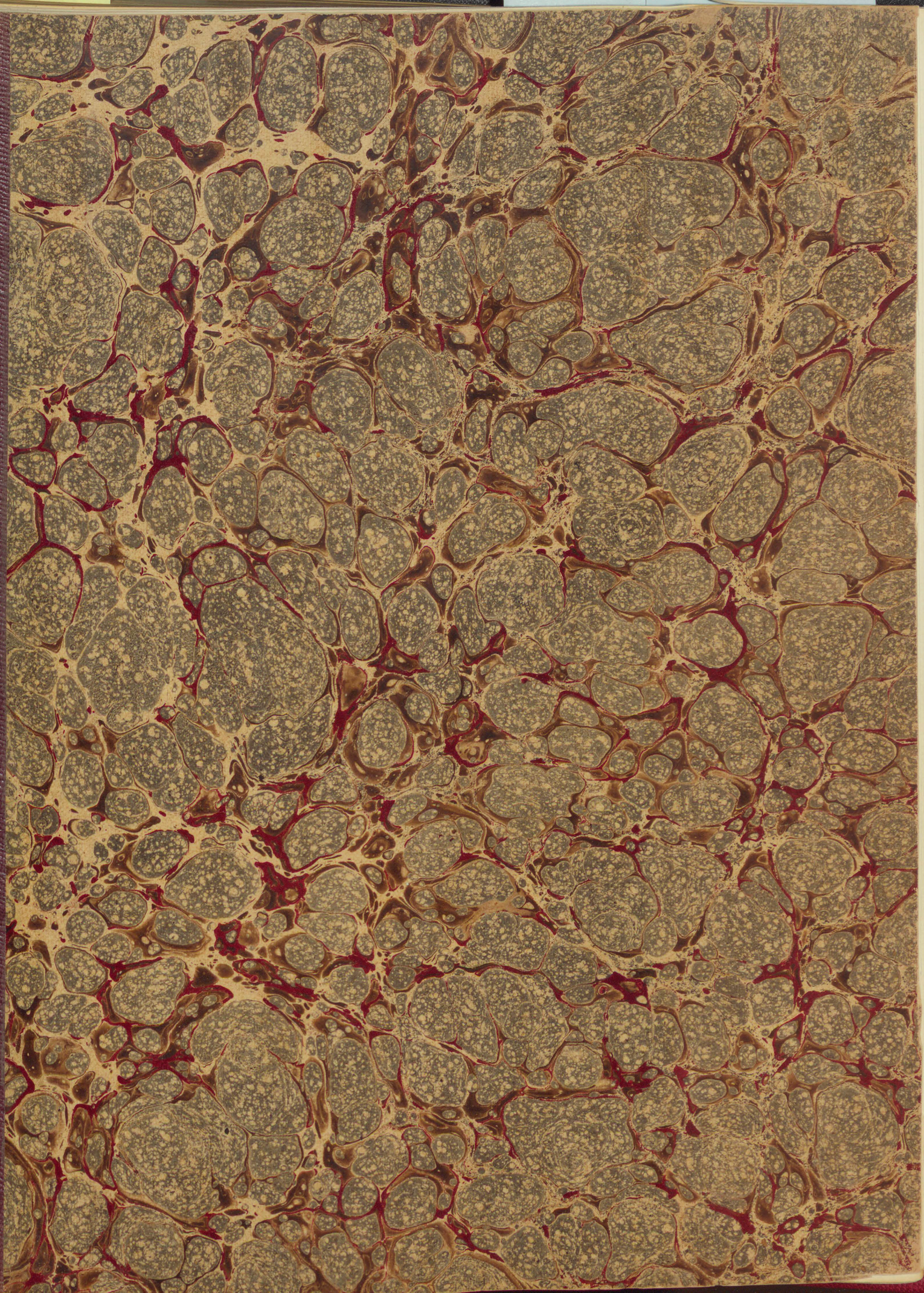

Records of The Taylor Library.

This Library is founded upon a bequest by the late Miss Harriett Taylor according to the following provision in her Will:

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"I give and bequeath to the Town of Derry, in the County of Rockingham and State of New Hampshire, the sum of One Thousand Dollars for a Public Library, provided the said town will furnish all suitable arrangements for keeping and tending the said Library, which is to be located at the East Village and to be kept at the Town House, or at some place near the First Parish Church, in Derry, forever."

The subject being introduced at the annual Town Meeting, March 13, 1877,

a Committee was appointed to consider the whole matter and put it into proper form to be acted upon by the town. At an adjourned meeting, April 14, 1877, this Committee reported the following preamble and resolutions and a Code of rules, which were accepted and adopted.

Whereas, The late Miss Harriett Taylor, desirous of manifesting her interest in the welfare and prosperity of the Citizens of her native town, has, most generously, donated the sum of One Thousand Dollars for the purpose of establishing a Public Library for the benefit of the citizens of this town; therefore,

Resolved, That we, the citizens of Derry, in town meeting assembled, do gratefully accept said legacy with the conditions attached thereto, and that we will, as soon as practicable, prepare suitable accommodations for said Library and elect all necessary officers to have charge of the same.

Resolved, That the Town Clerk

be, and hereby is, instructed to enter these resolutions in the Town Records as a lasting memorial of the generous donor.

In order that the Public Library of this town may be properly protected and preserved, the following Code of Rules is adopted, which Code may be amended at any legal town meeting, when an Article for that purpose shall have been inserted in the Warrant therefor.

Section 1 When the Trustees, appointed by the late Miss Harriett Taylor to select and purchase books for a Public Library, shall have executed their trust according to the provisions of the Will, the said Library shall constitute, and be known as, The Taylor Library of Derry.

Sec. 2 The management of said Library shall be vested in a Board of five Trustees.

Sec. 3 At the town meeting at which this Code is adopted the town shall elect, by ballot, five Trustees, one of whom shall serve five years, one for four years, one for three years, one for two years and one for one year; the term

for which each is elected at the first election to be determined by lot among the Trustees themselves. One Trustee shall be elected, by ballot, at the annual town meeting in every year hereafter to serve for five years.

If a vacancy in said Office occur from any cause, it may be filled for the unexpired term at any legal town meeting.

Sec. 4 The said Trustees shall, in each year, and as soon after the annual town meeting as practicable, choose from their number a Chairman, a Clerk and a Treasurer.

Sec. 5 The Clerk shall keep a complete record of all bequests and donations to said Library, and of all votes of the town relating thereto, and of the proceedings of the meetings of the Board of Trustees, and of all rules and regulations made by the town for the management of the said Library.

Sec. 6 The Treasurer shall receive all funds that may be ordered by said town to be placed in the hands of the Trustees.- shall disburse the same, and at the expiration of his term of office of Treasurer, turn over to his successor the unexpended balance of said funds.

Sec. 7 The Trustees shall have charge of the room prepared by the town for said Library, and of all books, papers and other property pertaining thereto, and shall make all needful regulations for the issuing of books and for the care of the same; which regulations shall be in force until the next annual meeting.

Sec. 8 The said regulations shall be submitted to the town at the next annual meeting for approval or amendment and, when approved, shall remain in force; provided, however, that they may be amended at any legal town meeting when proper articles have been inserted in the Warrant therefor.

Sec. 9 The Trustees shall employ a Librarian who shall receive for such service such sum as the town may order.

Sec. 10 The Trustees shall make at every annual town meeting a report of of the condition of the Library. with such recommendations as they may deem proper.

Sec. 11 It is the intent and purpose of the town to establish the said Library in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 46 of the General Statutes of New Hampshire: and such rules and regulations as now, or hereafter, may be made, must be in accordance therewith, or with the laws of the State in force at the time.

Joseph Montgomery
Nath'l H. Brown
Charles C. Johnson
James C. Taylor Committee.
N. B. Prescott
Henry E. Eastman

At the meeting at which the foregoing Resolutions and Code of Rules were adopted it was voted, —

That the Selectmen of the town be, and hereby are, authorized and directed to prepare and furnish, substantially in accordance with the plan herewith presented, in a manner suitable for a public Library, the East Room in the second story of the Town House at an expense of not more than Three Hundred Dollars; and that they be authorized to hire money to defray the expense.

The following named persons were chosen as Trustees. —

James C. Taylor
Frank W. Parker
David S. Clark
Joseph W. Bean
Benj. Chase Jr.

At the first meeting of the Trustees, July 16, 1877, they organized by choosing for

Chairman, David S. Clark
Clerk Benj. Chase Jr.
Treasurer, James C. Taylor.

The length of time that each should serve as Trustee was determined by lot as follows, —

F. W. Parker for 5 years
D. S. Clark 4 "
Jos. W. Bean 3 "
J. C. Taylor 2 "
Benj. Chase Jr 1 "

At subsequent meetings a list of books was made up and the same were purchased of the Messrs. Lee & Shepard of Boston.

Miss Elizabeth F. Billings was chosen as Librarian and the following Regulations for the government of the Library were adopted.

Regulations.

Article 1

The Librarian shall, under the direction of the Board of Trustees, have the charge and superintendence of the Room, and shall be responsible for the care and safety of all the books and other property contained in it, as well as for the orderly deportment of visitors.

It shall be the duty of the Librarian to make an annual examination of all the books of the Library and report the condition of the same to the Trustees two weeks before the annual town meeting.

Article 2

The Library shall be open for the issue of books on Wednesdays from two to five o'clock, P. M. and Saturdays from two to five and from seven to nine o'clock P. M., except holidays and such other days as the Trustees may order.

Article 3

All residents of the town of Derry of twelve years of age and upward, who shall be recommended by one of the Board of Reference, may have the privileges of the Library by conforming to the Regulations thereof.

The Trustees of the Library, the Clergymen, Selectmen, Town Clerk, Superintendent of Schools and the Principals of the Pinkerton Academy and the Adams Female Seminary of Derry shall constitute the Board of Reference.

Article 4

Every person desiring the loan of books shall sign an agreement as follows:

"I hereby certify that I am a resident of the town of Derry, and, in consideration of the privilege granted to use the books of this Library, agree to comply with all the established Regulations.

Article 5

Any person residing temporarily in town, upon sufficient recommendation or by depositing with the Librarian Three Dollars, or the full value of the work desired, as security for its safe return, may be allowed, in the discretion of the Librarian, to take books on the other usual conditions.

Article 6

Every person taking books from the Library will receive from the Librarian a Card with the condensed Rules printed upon one side;— upon the other side the books loaned shall be entered under their Shelf-number in blank spaces for that purpose; and this card shall be presented to the Librarian as the only mode of obtaining any book.

Article 7

Only one volume may be taken on one account unless the work be in duodecimo, or smaller size, when two volumes may be taken.

Article 8

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Books may be retained two weeks, only, but, on application, may be renewed for a similar term. A fine of five cents shall be paid for each Library day that a book shall be kept beyond the time allowed. Any book retained two weeks beyond the time specified shall be sent for by the Librarian at the expense of the delinquent, and if not returned in one week after demand shall have been made for it, it shall be considered lost and the Librarian shall proceed to collect the value of the book with all fines and charges till the time of payment.

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If the book lost be one of a Set, the borrower shall pay the full value of the Set and may, thereupon, receive the remaining volumes as his property.

Article 9

If any person shall deface by marking, or otherwise injure a book beyond reasonable wear, the person to whom the book stands charged shall replace it by a new volume, or Set if it belong to a Set, as provided in the 8th Article.

Article 10

No person shall have the privileges of this Library while indebted for fines or for injury to books.

Article 11

All books shall be returned to the Library for examination and report, — as provided in Article 1, — three weeks before the annual town meeting: — and no books will be issued within four weeks preceding said election, or until the Librarian shall have completed the examination and Report.

The books of the Derry Library Association, by the common consent of many of its members, were brought to the Library Room and arranged upon the shelves with the new ones.

The Library was first opened for the loan of books, February 23, 1878.

On the afternoon of the preceding day, an enthusiastic meeting of the people was held in the Town Hall in honor of an event of such interest and having such a promising influence to promote the welfare of the town by the elevation of its citizens.

At the annual town meeting holden March 12, 1878, the Trustees reported that the Library consisted of Nine Hundred & Seventeen volumes.
Number of persons taking books, 347.
Number of books loaned, 725.

It was voted - that the Rules of the Trustees remain in force until the next annual meeting.

The term of Benj. Chase Jr., as a Trustee, having expired, he was re-elected for a term of five years.

It was voted that the salary of the Librarian be fixed by the Board of Trustees; in accordance with which they agree in recommending that the sum of One Hundred & Twenty Five Dollars be paid for the first year, to commence Jany. 1, 1878.

During the year 1878 additions to the Library have been made to very nearly the extent that the funds in the hands of the Treasurer will allow.

At the annual town meeting in Derry March 11, 1879, the Trustees of Taylor Library reported as follows, as printed with the Town Accounts.

To the Selectmen of Derry.

The Trustees submit herewith the reports of the Librarian and Treasurer. Since the opening of the Library Feby. 23 1878, a very gratifying interest has been shown by the public, as will be seen by the report of the Librarian. A Catalogue of the books is now being printed and will be completed at an early day.

D. S. Clark
J. C. Taylor
F. W. Parker
J. W. Bean
Benj. Chase Jr.
} Trustees.

Report of the Librarian.

To the Trustees of the Taylor Library.

Since Feby. 23, 1878, the Library

has been open to the public 101 days. During the year, 11.656 books have been lent, averaging 115 per day.

Number of books in Library, 1215
Number presented, — 59
Number of cards issued, 686

Amt. of money recd. from fines 22.96
Paid for Stationery &c. 5.24
Balance paid to Treasurer $17.72

{Signed} E. F. Billings, Librarian

Treasurer's Report.

J. C. Taylor in a/c with Taylor Library.

Dr.

To cash from Town of Derry, 1000.00
To cash from Librarian 17.72 $1017.72

Cr.

By pd. Lee & Shepard for books, 990.84
Mercantile Lib Assoⁿ " " 7.50
History of Londonderry 4.00
Record Book 3.00
Cash in Treasury 12.38 $1017.72

{Signed} J. C. Taylor, Treasurer.

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At the last mentioned meeting, March 11, 1879, it was voted to so amend Article 8 of the Regulations as to allow books to be retained three weeks and not be subject to renewal.

The term of James C. Taylor as Trustee having expired, he was re-elected for a term of five years.

Benj. Chase Jr.
Clerk Board Trustees.

Wednesday evening, March 19. 1879,
The Trustees of Taylor Library met
and re-organized by re-electing
the former officers, — namely —

Doctor David S. Clark, Chairman.
James C. Taylor Treasurer.
Benj: Chase Jr. Clerk.

It was voted to fix the salary
of Librarian at One Hundred
Dollars for the year 1879.

March, 1880.

Librarian's Report.

To the Trustees of Taylor Library.

Since the last annual report, the Library has been open for the delivery of books Ninety-Seven days, during which time Seven Thousand, Two Hundred & Sixty Two books have been delivered, making a daily average of nearly Seventy Five. Three books have been lost;- Two of them missing and unaccounted for, the other lost and paid for.

Number of Cards issued in the year.	105
Whole number issued,	791
Number of books in the Library.	1226
Donated during the year,	11
Number rebound	26

Cash account.

Received for fines	17.55	
" " Catalogues	20.00	
" " book lost	1.00	38.55
Paid for postage, covering paper &c		3.51
Balance paid to Treasurer,		$35.04

[Signed] E. F. Billings, Librarian.

Treasurer's Report.

James C. Taylor
In account with Taylor Library.

Dr.

To amount due, March 1879.	$12,38	
Cash rec'd. from Librarian	35,04	47,42

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By paid Lee & Shepard for rebinding books	7,80	
Charles Bartlett for printing Catalogues, &c.	9,25	
Cash in Treasury to bal.	30,37	$47,42

Derry, March 1880.
[Signed] J. C. Taylor, Treasurer.

In the early part of the last year a Catalogue of the books in the Library was printed and they have been kept for sale by the Librarian.

At the annual Town Meeting, March 9, 1880 — the term of Joseph W. Bean, as Trustee, having expired — Henry E. Eastman was elected for a term of five years.

At a meeting of the Trustees April 7, the former Officers were re-elected for the ensuing year, viz.

David S. Clark,	Chairman,
James C. Taylor	Treasurer,
Benj. Chase Jr.	Clerk.

March, 1881.

The Librarian of the Taylor Library reports to the Trustees as follows:

Since the reopening of the Library on March 3, 1880, books have been delivered on ninety eight days.

Number delivered during the year,	4673.
Average per Library day, nearly	48
Cards issued during the year.	57
Number of books presented,	2
Whole number in Library,	1228
Number rebound in year,	38
Missing	2

Money received for fines,	$21.75	
do. for Catalogues	3.50	25.25
Paid for Incidentals	1.36	$
Balc. paid to Treasurer	23.89	25.25

{Signed} E. F. Billings, Librarian.

Treasurer's Report.

James C. Taylor in account with Taylor Library. Dr.

1880			
March 1/80	Cash in Treasury.	$20.37	
Mch. 5, '81	Recd. of Librarian	23.89	$54.26

Cr.

1880.			
July,	Paid Lee & Shepard	9.55	
Feby. 25/81	" F.W. Parker's bill.	14.37	
Mch. 7	Cash in Treasury	20.34	$54.26

March 7, 1881.

(Signed) J. C. Taylor. Treas'r.

At the Town Meeting March 8, 1881, the term of David S. Clark, as Trustee, having expired, he was again elected for five years.

Voted to raise the sum of Two Hundred Dollars to buy books for the Library; Fifty dollars of the amount to be used for works on Science and the Mechanical Arts.

At a meeting of the Trustees on the evening of March 16, the Board reorganized by the choice of

Doctor David S. Clark as Chairman,
James C. Taylor, Treasurer,
Benj. Chase Jr., Clerk.

Adjourned to meet at 7.30 o'clock, P. M. March 30.

At the adjourned meeting a list of books was completed and the recent appropriation chiefly expended in a purchase from Lee & Shepard.

March 1882.

At the annual town meeting, the term of F. W. Parker having expired as Trustee of the Taylor Library, he was again chosen to the same office for five years.

The Librarian reports as follows –

Since Feby. 26. 1881, books have been delivered on one hundred and two days.

Whole number books taken in year	4863.
Average number per day (Library) nearly	48.
Whole number cards issued	892.
Cards issued during the year	53.
Number books in Accession Catalogue	1371.
Number added during year	143.
Number donated	28.
Missing	2.

Money recd. for fines	18.90	
Do. - Catalogues	2.90	21.80
Expended for Stationery		1.34
Balance paid Treasurer		$ 20.46

(Signed) E. F. Billings.

Treasurer's Report.

James C. Taylor in a/c with Taylor Library.

Dr.

1881			
	To bal. in Treasury	30.34	
June 13	To Order from Selectmen	173.62	
	Received from Librarian	21.80	$225.76

Cr.

Apl 14	Paid Lee & Shepard - binding	7.50	
June 13	Do. Do. Books	173.62	
July	Express	.49	
"	H. E. Eastman, expenses	2.30	
Sept. 17	Charles Bartlett's bill, printing Catalogues	9.50	
	Stationery -	1.34	
	Balance	31.01	$225.76

March 1 1882.

(Signed) James C. Taylor.

Report of the Librarian for 1882-3

To the Trustees of the Taylor Library.

Since the re-opening of the Library March 4. 1882, books have been delivered on ninety nine days.

Whole number issued during year.	3502.
Average number per day, nearly	36.
Whole number Cards issued,	946.
New Cards issued during year	54.
Number books missing,	0
Books added during the year,	15
Do donated Do. Do.	15
Whole number in library.	1386

Amount received for fines	$12.75
Do. Do. Catalogues	2.20
	14.95
Paid incidental expenses	98
Amt. paid to Treasurer,	$13.97

Of the books donated, twelve were numbers of Littell's Living Age, presented by Miss E. J. MacGregor and bound at the expense of the Library:- the others were New Hampshire Reports, Laws, &c. A year's numbers of

The Century, Harpers, St. Nicholas and The Atlantic Magazines have been presented by the Reading Club and wait to be bound.

Both of the books reported missing last year have been returned.

Before any books can be added to the Library, it is necessary to provide shelves for them, as already 38 vols. are standing on the floor

March 1, 1883.

[Signed] E. F. Billings, Librarian.

Treasurer's Report.

James C. Taylor in a/c with Taylor Library.

1882	Dr.		
March 1	To Cash in Treasury	31.01	
Mch 1. 1883	Recd. from the Librarian	13.97	$44.98
	Cr.		
1882			
July 22	By paid Lee & Shepard	18.25	
1883			
March 1	Cash in Treasury	26.73	$44.98

(Signed) James C. Taylor. Treas'r.

Entered by

Benj. Chase Jr.

Clerk Board Trustees.

1883 — 4

At the annual Town meeting held March 13th 1883 — Rev E. G. Parsons was elected Trustee for five years to succeed Benjamin Chase Jr. whose term had expired and who declined further service

Isaac H. Jones was elected to fill the unexpired term of Henry E. Eastman — he having removed from the town

The sum of One Hundred dollars was voted for the purchase of books for the Library

At a meeting of the Trustees held March 17th 1883 the the Board was organized by choosing

Rev E. G. Parsons Chairman
James C. Taylor Treasurer
Isaac H. Jones Clerk

At an adjourned meeting Rev. E. G. Parsons and Dr D. S. Clark were chosen a committee to prepare a list of books to be added to the Library which were subsequently purchased of Lockwood, Brooks & Co to the value of $135.38

Librarians Report

March 1884

To the Trustees of the Taylor Library

Since the re-opening of the Library March 3" 1883 books have been delivered on 97 days

Number of books taken out during the year	3411
Average number per day	35-
Whole number cards issued	994
Number Cards issued during year	58
Number books added	147
" " donated	7
Whole number of books	1533
Number books missing	1

Money received for fines	$10.20
" " " catalogues	1.95
	$12.15
Amount paid Treasurer	$12.15

Four volumes of magazines have been purchased during the year and paid for with funds in the Library — these with 16 books badly worn are laid aside for re-binding

Respectfully submitted
(Signed) E. F. Billings Librarian

James C. Taylor as Treasurer in account with Taylor Library

Dr.

1883 March 1.	To cash in treasury	$26.73	
Sept	" " of Selectmen bal. of appropriation for 1881	26.38	
	To Cash of Selectmen bal. of appropriation for 1883	100.00	
1884 Feb	Cash of Librarian fines &c	12 15	$165.26

Cr.

1883 June	By paid Lockwood Brooks & Co binding	$5.65	
	" " " " " " etc	4.10	
	" " Charles Bartlett printing	75	
	" " L. A. Morrison Hist. Windham	3.35	
Sept	" " Lockwood Brooks & Co. books	135.38	
	" " sundry bills library ex.	4.59	
1884 Feb 25	" Cash in Treasury,	11.24	$165.26

(Signed) James C. Taylor Treasurer

1884

1884 At the annual Town meeting held March 11th 1884 James C. Taylor was re-elected Trustee for the term of five years

At a meeting of the Trustees held March 15 1884 the organization was made by electing

Rev E. G. Parsons Chairman.
James C. Taylor Treasurer.
Isaac H. Jones Clerk.

The salary of the Librarian was fixed at seventy five dollars for the coming year

Miss Kate W. Eastman was chosen Librarian to enter upon her duties May 1 1884

The following resolution was passed unanimously: The Board in making a change in the office of Librarian desire to record their high appreciation of the valuable services of Miss E. F. Billings for the years in which she has held the office

To the Trustees of Taylor Library

March 1885

During the past year 3534 books have been loaned.

Whole number of Cards issued —	1033
Number issued during the year —	39
Number of books added (by purchase)	19
" " " donated —	11
Whole number of books —	1552

Money received for fines $16.01
" " " catalogues 3.10
$19.11

Amount paid Treasurer $19.11

Four volumes of magazines have been purchased during the year; they are now laid aside for binding with twenty nine books badly worn.

(signed) K. W. Castman
Librarian

James C. Taylor Treasurer, in account with Taylor Library

1884 Feb 25	Dr		
	To cash in treasury	$11.24	
Nov 1885	" " received of Librarian	10 00	
	" " " "		
Feb 26	catalogues &c	9.11	$30.35

1884	Cr		
Sept 4	By paid Lockwood Brooks & Co. for binding	$8.10	
Oct 28	By paid Lockwood Brooks & Co. binding	1.75	
1885 Feb 19	By paid Charles Bartlett for magazines	3.10	
Feb 26	By paid Librarian postage and miscellaneous expenses	.98	
Feb 27	Cash in Treasury	16.42	$30.35

(signed) James C. Taylor
Treasurer.

At a meeting of the Trustees Feb 28th 1885 the foregoing reports of the Librarian and Treasurer were presented, approved, and ordered to be printed with the Town report.

1885 At the Annual Town Meeting held March 10th 1885 Isaac H. Jones was re-elected Trustee for the term of five years

The sum of One Hundred & fifty dollars was voted for the purchase of additional books for the Library

1885 April 1st 1885 At a meeting of the Trustees held this day the Board was organized as follows:—

Rev E. G. Parsons Chairman
James C. Taylor Treasurer
Isaac H. Jones Clerk

F. W. Parker was chosen committee on printing;—

Rev E. G. Parsons and I. H. Jones were chosen a committee to purchase additional books for the Library
This committe later attended to their duties and purchased books of Lockwood Brooks & Co. and others to the amount of as per Treasurers Report

March 1886

Librarian's Report

To the Trustees of Taylor Library

The Library was re-opened March 7th 1885 and books have been loaned on 97 days since that time

Number of books taken during the year	4415
Average number per day	11.1
Largest number taken on one card	49
Whole number of cards issued	1096
Number of cards issued during the year	66
Number of Books added	186
" " " donated	37
Whole number of books	1740
Number of books missing	0

Money received for fines	$17.45
" " " catalogues	3.23
	$20.68
Amount paid Treasurer	$20.68

Four volumes of Magazines have been purchased; they are now laid aside for rebinding, with 37 books badly worn.

Respectfully Submitted
(Signed) K. W. Eastman,
Librarian.

March 1886 James C. Taylor Treasurer in account with Taylor Library

Dr

1885 Feb 27	To cash in Treasury	$16.42
July 14	" order of Selectmen for appropriation for 1885	150 00
1886 March 7	" cash received of Librarian for fines	17.45
	" " " for catalogues	3.23
		$187.10

Cr

1885 May 7	By paid Cleaves Macdonald & Co for binding books	$11.00	
July 14	" " Lockwood Brooks & Co for bill of books	148.14	
1886 Jan —	" " " one volume Personal memories of Gen. U.S. Grant	3.50	
March 3	" " for expressage	3.05	
	" " " magazines	3.00	
	" " " Sundries	83	
March 3	Cash in Treasury	17.58	
			$187.10

(Signed) James C. Taylor,
Treasurer.

1886 March — At the annual Town Meeting held on the ninth day of March 1886 Dr David S. Clarke was re-elected Trustee of the Taylor Library for the term of five years

1886 March 17th — At a meeting of the Trustees called on Wednesday March 17th 1886 the Board re-organized by electing

Rev E. G. Parsons Chairman
Isaac H. Jones Clerk
James C. Taylor Treasurer

Frank W. Parker was named Business Committee

The resignation of Miss Kate W. Eastman as Librarian was accepted and the the following resolution was passed "In accepting the resignation of Miss Eastman the Board take the opportunity to express their high appreciation of her valuable services as Librarian and their regrets that they may not longer enjoy them."

Miss Florence E. Boyd was chosen librarian.

The reports of the Librarian and Treasurer for the past year were accepted and adopted

Adjourned

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March
1887

Librarian's Report

To the Trustees of the Taylor Library.

The Library was re-opened March 6th 1886, and books have been loaned on 95 days since that time.

Number of books loaned during the year	4153
Average number per day	43
Number of cards used during the year	435
" " " issued " " "	64
" " books added	17
" " " donated	8
Whole number of books	1757

No books have been lost during the year. Four volumes of magazines have been purchased. They are to be sent away for ~~re-binding~~ with twenty nine worn books

Cash received for fines	$15.90
" " " catalogues	1.40
	$17.30

Respectfully submitted
(signed) F. E. Boyd
Librarian

Treasurer's Report

1886
March 3 James C. Taylor Treasurer in account with Taylor Library

Dr.

	To cash in treasury	$17.58
Feb 1887 19	To cash received of Librarian for fines	15.90
	To Cash received for catalogues	1.40
		$34.88

Cr.

1886 May	By paid for 2d vol memoirs of Gen. U.S. Grant	$3.50
July 17	By paid Cleaves, McDonald & Co. for binding books, &c.	12.55
1887 Feb 8"	By paid Chas Bartlett for four setts Magazines	3.00
" "	By paid expressage	1.25
" "	" " for Sundries	.66
25	Cash in Treasury	13.92
		$34.88

(signed) James C. Taylor
Treasurer.

1887
March 8

At the annual town meeting held on March 8 "1887 the term of Frank W. Parker having expired he was re-elected Trustee of the Taylor Library for the term of five years.

Voted that the Trustees of Taylor Library procure an insurance on the books in the Taylor Library. Voted that the Town appropriate the sum of Two hundred dollars for the purchase of books for the Taylor Library, Twenty per cent of which sum at least to be expended for the purchase of scientific works.

1887

March 16 At a meeting of the Trustees of the Taylor Library held March 16th 1887 the Board organized by electing

Rev. E. G. Parsons - Chairman.
James C. Taylor - Treasurer.
Isaac H. Jones - Clerk.

Frank W. Parker - Business Committee

Voted; That an insurance to the amount of $1500. be effected on the books of the Library

Voted That Mess James C. Taylor and Frank W. Parker be authorized to procure the said insurance.

Voted - That the reports of the Librarian and Treasurer as presented and printed be accepted and adopted.

Voted: That Rev. E. G. Parsons - Isaac H. Jones and Frank W. Parker be a committee to prepare a list of books for addition to the Library

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to be submitted to the Board of Trustees at a meeting to be called by the President.

Voted:- That Frank W. Parker be a committee to interview the Selectmen of the Town and cause the Library room to be prepared for the reception of additional books.

Adjourned

Report of the Librarian to the trustees of the Taylor Library for the year 1887.

March 1888

The Library was re-opened March 2d 1887 and books have been loaned on 100 days.

Whole number of books	1938
Number of books added during the year	183
Number of books donated	16
Number of books loaned	4361
Average number per day	46
Number of Cards used	440
Number of new cards given out	51

One book has been lost and will be replaced by the loser

Thirty worn books are laid aside for rebinding

Cash received for fines	$14,30
" " " catalogues	3,15

Respectfully submitted

(signed) Florence E. Boyd

Librarian

James C Taylor Treasurer in acct with Taylor Library

1887	Dr	
Feb 25	To cash in treasury	$13.92
Aug 26	" " of Selectmen town appropriation	200.00
1888 Feb 27	" " received of Librarian	15.10
		$229.02

1887	Cr	
March	By paid L. A. Morrison for one copy "Ramble in Europe"	$1.75
June 23	Paid Laughton McDonald & Co for binding books &c.	12.70
August	Paid Henry C. Baird & Co for bill of books	25.00
Sept 8	Paid Emery Cleaves for books	171.27
Feb 27 1888	Balance of cash carried to new account	18.30
		$229.02
1888 Feb 27	Cash in treasury	$18.30

At the annual town meeting held March 1888 the term of Rev E. G. Parsons having expired Edmund R. Angell was elected Trustee of the Taylor Library for five years, and Edward T. Parker was elected to fill the unexpired term of Frank W. Parker deceased.

1888 At a meeting of the Trustees held on the fourteenth day of April 1888. the board was organized by electing.

Dr. David S. Clark, Chairman
James C. Taylor, Treasurer
Isaac H. Jones, Clerk

Edward T. Parker was chosen business committee

The reports of the Librarian and Treasurer as presented were accepted and adopted

Adjourned

1888 At a meeting of the Trustees held May 19th 1888 Edmund R. Angell David S. Clark and Isaac H. Jones were chosen a committee to make a selection of books to be purchased for the Library

Edmund R. Angell and Isaac H. Jones to prepare suitable resolutions

March 29th 1888, At the annual Town meeting held March 29th It was voted to accept the bequest of the late Miss Emma L. Taylor of one Thousand dollars to Taylor Library, according to the provisions named in her will.

A copy of item six of the last will of Emma L. Taylor. executed August six A.D. 1879.

I give and bequeath to the Taylor Library of Lynn - founded by my Sister Miss Harriet Taylor - the sum of one Thousand dollars. Subject to the same conditions in regard to location and management as specified in her will.

Nov. 6th 1888.

at a Town Meeting held November 6th Under art. 7 of the warrant it was voted that the Town accept from James C. Taylor Executor of the will of Emma L. Taylor the sum of one Thousand dollars, to be held in trust for the Taylor Library, said sum to be invested, and kept invested by said Town for the use of said Library, and the income therefrom to be expended annually in the purchase of books to be placed in said Lebrary under the directions of the Trustees.

1889 At the annual Town meeting held March 14th 1889 the term of James C. Taylor having expired he was re-elected Trustee of Taylor Library for the term of five years.

Report of the Librarian to the Trustees of the Taylor Library

1888 The Library was re-opened March 10th and books have been loaned on 95 days

Whole number of books	2004
Number of books added	65
" " " donated	57
" " " loaned	3832
Average number per day	40
Number of cards used	395
New cards given out	44

Cash received for fines	$8.58
" " " catalogues	2.60
	$11.18

1889 Twenty five books are laid aside for relinding

(signed) Florence E. Boyd, Librarian

James C Taylor Treasurer in account
1888 with Taylor Library.

Dr

Feb 27	To Cash in treasury	$18.30
1889		
Feb 20	To Cash received of Librarian	11.18
	" " " " E. G. Parsons books for Pinkerton Academy Library	5.00
		$34.48

Cr

1888		
Aug 2	By paid Laughton McDonald & co binding books	$18.28
Sept 11	" " Charles Bartlett for magazines	3.00
Dec	" " Laughton McDonald & co express bill	60
1889		
Jan 29	" " Carter, Rice & Co for paper &c	2.15
Feb 20	" " Librarian for expressage, stationery, &c	1.49
Feb 20	Balance carried to new account	8.96
		$34.48
1889		
Feb 20	To Cash in treasury	$8.96

(signed) James C. Taylor
Treasurer.

1889 At the annual meeting of the Trustees of the Taylor Library held March 23. 1889.

The board was organized by electing

Dr. David S. Clark. Chairman.
James C. Taylor. Treasurer
Isaac H. Jones Clerk.

Dr. Clark declining to serve longer as Chairman Edmund R. Angell was chosen to fill that position
Edward T. Parker was chosen Business committee.

Resolved - That further time be allowed the committee on books.

The reports of the Librarian and Treasurer were accepted and adopted.

The matter of insurance on books in the Library was referred to the business committee.

Resolved that the Riverside Natural History in six volumes be purchased and paid for.

Adjourned

1889 A special meeting of the Trustees called by the order of the Chairman was held Sept 21st 1889

The resignation of Miss Florence E. Boyd as Librarian was received and accepted, to take effect Oct 1st 1889.

Miss Addie A. Reynolds was chosen Librarian to commence her duties Oct 1st 1889

The matter of the selection and purchase of books was discussed and left in the hands of the committee

A letter of acknowledgment and thanks was ordered to be spread upon the record and copies thereof forwarded by the Clerk to Maj Edward L. Jones and Mrs M. L. McMurphy for their several contributions of books to the Library, as follows

18 vols. Galaxy "Only glimpses"

"We hereby acknowledge the receipt of — — — — presented by you to the Taylor Library. Please accept our thanks for them. In token of our appreciation of the gift we subscribe ourselves.

Yours very truly

— — — — — — Trustees of Taylor Library

Copies of above — — — — — — — — were duly forwarded. — — — — — —

Adjourned

1883 to 1890 — Isaac H. Jones — Clerk of the Board of Trustees.

March 26th 1870. The regular Meeting of the board of Trustees was held and organized as follows Chairman Edmund R. Angell, Clerk Clinton L. Nason, Treasurer James C. Taylor, Business Committee Edmund T. Parker,
A letter of acknowledgment and thanks was ordered to be spread upon the records, and a copy thereof forwarded by the clerk to Rev. Lucian H. Adams, for contribution to Library, as follows; We hereby acknowledge the receipt of the book, Romanism and the Republick. presented by you to the Taylor Library; Please accept our thanks for it, In token of our appreciation of the gift we subscribe ourselves;

Yours Very truly.

Trustees of
Taylor Library.

Voted that the Librarian be instructed to give to each person upon application a catalogue of Taylor Library, it being understood that but one is to go to each family.
The reports of the Librarian and Treasurer was accepted and adopted;

Librarians Report.

To the Trustees of the Taylor Library
The Library was reopened March 6th and Books has been loaned on 96 days

Whole number of Books	2094
Number of books added	90
" " " donated	84

Number of books loaned	3 135
Average number per day	32
Number of cards used	320
New cards given out	44
Cash received for fines	$ 8.23
" " " catalogues	.75
" Paid out for Express and Stationery &c.	1.61
" " to Treasurer	7.37

Six books are laid aside for rebinding.

Adaline A. Reynolds.
Librarian.

Treasurer Report.

James C. Taylor Treasurer in account with Taylor Library

		Dr.
1887. Feb 20th	To cash in Treasury	$ 8.96
1887 May	" " Received from Lecturer	36.00
Feb 22nd 1890.	" " " " Librarian	7.37
		$ 52.33

		Cr
May 23rd 1887	Paid William Macdonald for binding books	$ 6.90
Nov 14th	" N A Hill (agent) for bill of books	36.00
	" Carter Rice & Co for paper	4.50
Feb 24th 1890.	By balance carried to new account	4.93
		$ 52.33

To cash in Treasury Feb. 24th 1890. $4.93

James C Taylor
Treasurer.

No other business coming before the meeting.
Adjourned.

C. L. Nelson Clerk.

At the annual Town meeting held March 11th & 12th.
1890 under article 5th of the warrant it was voted unanimously to accept from James C Taylor two Thousand Dollars for Taylor Library upon the conditions stated in his offer to the Town,

The conditions stated by James C Taylor are as follows viz.

To the Town of Derry.

I offer to give to the Town of Derry Two Thousand Dollars in trust. the income to be used for buying books for the Taylor Library. located at East Derry village, upon the condition that such income shall be expended for books to be placed in the present building where the Library is kept. or in some building located within the limits of what is known as East Derry village. a removal of the Library or any part of the books therein to any other part of the Town except as people take books to there homes to read. shall be a violation of the trust and the said two Thousand dollars upon said violation shall revert immediately to my heirs.

James C. Taylor

Derry January 1st 1890.

March 21st 1891,

A Meeting of the Trustees was held at the Library, and the following Officers were chosen for the ensuing year, as follows.
Chairman, Edmund K Angell.
Clerk, Clinton L. Nason.
Treasurer, James C. Taylor.
Business Committee, Edward F Parker.
The reports of the Librarian and Treasurer were accepted and adopted as follows.

Librarians Report.

To the Trustees of Taylor Library.
The Library was reopened March 5th and books have been loaned on 98 days.

Whole number of books	2250
Number of books added	155
Number of books donated	56
Number of books loaned	4620
Average number pe day	47
Number of cards used	420
New cards given out	58
Cash received for fines	$7.20
Cash paid out for express Stamps etc.	35
Cash paid the Treasurer	6.85

Twenty six books are laid aside for rebinding.

Adaline A. Reynolds.
Librarian.

Treasurers Report.

James C. Taylor in account with Taylor Library.

		Dr.
1890.		
Feb 24th "	To cash in treasury	$4.93
June 16th "	To check from town treasurer	85.00
1891.		
Jan 16th "	To cash from town treasurer	8.00
Feb 21st "	To cash from librarian	6.85
		$104.78

		Cr.
1890		
April 20th "	by paid freight	.25
June 18th "	by paid W. B. Clark & Co. for bill of books	$89.41
Oct. 14th "	by paid MacDonald & Co. for binding books	1.45
1891.		
Jan 19th "	by paid James P. Palmer for bill of books	7.50
Feb. 21st "	by balance carried to new account	6.17
		$104.78
1891.		
Feb 21st "	by cash in treasury $6.17	

James C. Taylor.
Treasurer.

No other business coming before the meeting.
on motion of Dr Clark. adjourned to call of Chairman.

C. L. Nason.
Clerk.

Feb 17th 1892. A Special meeting of the trustees of Taylor Library was called by the Chairman to consider the resignation of Mr Taylor as Treasurer; Voted to accept the resignation of Mr Taylor as treasurer. A ballot being taken. Mr Edward T. Parker was elected as treasurer to fill out the unexpired term of Mr Taylor. no other business coming before the board adjourned.

C. L. Nason.
Clerk.

Mar 15th 92 The regular meeting of the trustees of Taylor Library was held at the town hall. The following officers were chosen for the ensuing year:

Edmund R. Angell, chairman
E. T. Parker treasurer.
Fredrick C. Sawyer, clerk.

C. L. Nason having sent in his resignation on account of leaving town, it was voted that his resignation be accepted.
The reports of the librarian and treasurer were accepted.
Resolved, that a new carpet be procured for the library floor and that Edward T. Parker be appointed to select said carpet.
Miss Adelaine Reynolds was reelected librarian.
Adjourned

Fredrick C. Sawyer
Clerk.

Mar 26th. 93 The regular meeting of the trustees of Taylor Library was held at the town hall. The following officers were chosen for the ensuing year:

David S. Clark, chairman
Edward T. Parker, treas
Fredrick C. Saure, clerk

Miss Adelaine Reynolds was ~~re~~elected librarian for the ensuing year. The reports of Treasurer and librarian as printed in in town report were accepted and approved.
Voted, that a sum not exceeding $130.00 be appropriated for the purchasing of additional books for the library.
Voted to adjourn to two weeks from date.

F. C. Saure, Clerk.

Apr. 8th. 93. An adjourned meeting of the trustees of Taylor Library was held at the town hall.
Voted that F. C. Saure be appointed to purchase new books with the money appropriated.

F. C. Saure
Clerk.

Mar 31st. 94 The regular annual meeting of Taylor Library was held at the town hall.

The reports of treasurer and librarian as printed in the town reports were accepted and approved.

The following officers were chosen for the ensuing year:

David S. Clark, chairman,
Edward T. Parker, treas.

Fredrick C. Saure, clerk.

Adeline A. Reynolds was reelected librarian for the ensuing year.

Voted that a sum not exceeding $125.00 be appropriated for the purchasing of new books and F. C. Saure be appointed to procure them.

Adjourned

Fredrick C. Saure, Clerk.

Mar 21st '95 The regular annual meeting of the trustees of Taylor library was held in the library rooms.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The reports of the librarian and treasurer as printed in the town reports were accepted and approved.

The following officers were chosen for the ensuing year:

David S. Clark Chairman
E. T. Parker Treas.
F. C. Saure Clerk

Adeline Reynolds was reelected librarian for the ensuing year.

Voted that a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars be appropriated for the purchasing of new books and that F. C. Saure be appointed to select them.

A vote of thanks to the Rev. Lucien H. Adams was passed for the gift of many valuable books.

Adjourned.

F. C. Saure Clerk

Librarians Report 1896

To the Trustees of Taylor Library.

The library was reopened Mar 2nd 1895 and books have been loaned on 98 days.

Whole number of books	3,140
Number of books added	162
Number of books donated	30
Number of books loaned	6,529
Average number per day	66
Number of cards used	581
New cards issued	67
Cash received for catalogues	$ 2.25
Cash received for fines	9.45
Cash paid out for express stamps etc	3.34
Cash paid the treasurer	8.36

Feb. 20, 1896 Adaline A. Reynolds

E. T. Parker Treas in account with Taylor Library.

Dr.

1895	Febr 15 Balance in treasury	$ 13.53	
	July 1st To cash from town treasurer	72.48	
	July 14th To cash from town treasurer	29.55	
1896	To cash from librarian	8.36	
			$ 123.92

Cr.

1895	Paid Little, Brown & Co books	72.48	
	Paid The Boston Book Co books	29.55	
	Cash on hand	21.89	$ 123.92

E. T. Parker Treas.

Examined A. H.
Feb 15 1896

March 27th 96

The regular annual meeting of the trustees of Taylor Library was held in the library rooms.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The reports of treasurer and librarian were read and approved

The following officers were chosen for the ensuing year

Geo I Choate, chairman
E T Parker, treasurer
F. C. Saure, clerk.

Adeline Reynolds was reelected librarian.

Voted that a sum not exceeding one hundred and ten dollars be appropriated for the purchasing of new books and that F. C. Saure be appointed to select them.

Adjourned.

Fredrick C Saure
clerk.

E T Parker, Treasurer
in account with Taylor Library.

Dr

1896	Feb 15 bal. in treasury	$21.89	
	Jul 6 cash from town treasurer	88.52	
1897	Feb 13 cash from librarian	12.32	
			$122.73

Cr

1896	May 31, paid for Book of Sutfield	10.00	
	Jul 6, paid Little, Brown & Co for books	74.57	
	" 7 " Boston Book Co, books & binding	13.95	
	Sept 18 " for 2 vols Century Mag. & express	1.99	
	Cash on hand	22.22	
			$122.73

To the trustees of Taylor Library.
The library was reopened March 7th, 1896, and books have been loaned on 95 days.

Whole number of books	8,250
Number of books added	115
Number of books donated	13
Number of books loaned	5,966
Average number per day	62
Number of cards used	606
New cards issued	74
Cash received for catalogues	$2.25
" received for fines	12.00
Cash paid out for express, stamps etc	1.93
Cash paid treasurer	12.32

Feb 17th 1897 Adaline A Reynolds.

1897

The regular annual meeting of the board of trustees of Taylor Library was held at the library rooms March 20th.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman.

The following officers were elected for the year ensuing.

Geo. I. Choate chairman
E. T. Parker treasurer
F C Saure clerk

The reports of the treasurer & librarian were accepted & approved.

Voted to appropriate a sum not exceeding $250 for the purchasing of new books for the library and that E T Parker & F C Saure be appointed a committee for selecting them.

Adjourned.

F. C. Saure
clerk

To the trustees of Taylor Library.

The library was re-opened March 6th 1897 and books have been loaned on 96 days

Whole number of books	3512
Number of books added	260
Number of books donated	19
Number of books loaned	6839
Average number per day	71
Number of cards used	649

New cards issued

Cash received for fines	$12.45
Cash received for catalogues	1.50
Cash paid for express, stationery etc	3.07
Cash paid treasurer	10.88

Fifty books are laid aside for rebinding.

Feb 10th 1898 Adaline Reynolds, Librarian

1898 The regular annual meeting of the board of trustees of Taylor Library was held at the library rooms April 9th

The meeting was called to order by the chairman Geo I Choate.

The following officers were elected for the year ensuing:

Geo. I. Choate, chairman
E. T. Parker, treasurer
F. C. Saure, clerk

The reports of the treasurer and librarian as printed in the town report were accepted and approved.

Voted to appropriate a sum not exceeding $250.00 for the purchasing of new books, and that F. C. Saure be appointed for selecting them.

Voted to leave the matter of subscribing for some of the leading magazines to the clerk.

Voted that if the above magazines be purchased, that the book borrowers be obliged until ~~six weeks old~~ to return them

on the next library day after taking them out, or be subject to the usual fine.

Adaline A Reynolds was chosen librarian for the year ensuing.

Adjourned.

F. C. Saure, clerk.

To the Trustees of Taylor Library.

The Library was reopened March 2 - 1898 and books have been loaned on 100 days.

Whole number of books	3769
Number of books added	232
Number of books donated	13
Number of books loaned	7821
Average number of books loaned per day	78
New cards issued	99
Number of cards used	699

Cash received for catalogues	$2.00
Cash received for fines	10.55
Cash paid out for express, stamps etc	.75
Cash paid the treasurer	11.80

Adaline A. Reynolds.

February 16th 1899
East Derry N. H.

1899

The regular annual meeting of the board of trustees of Taylor Library was held at the library rooms March 18th.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman, Geo. I. Choate.

The following officers were elected for the year ensuing:

Geo I Choate, chairman
E T Parker, treas.
F C Saure, clerk.
Miss Adaline A. Reynolds, librarian.

The reports of the treasurer and librarian were accepted and approved.

Voted to appropriate a sum not exceeding $250.00 for the purchasing of new books, and that F. C. Saure be appointed for selecting them.

~~Adjourned~~.

F. C. Saure clerk.

To the Trustees of Taylor Library.

The library was re-opened March 4th 1899 and books were loaned on 99 days.

Whole number of books	3986
Number of books added	235
Number of books donated	19
Number of books loaned	8044
Number of cards used	598
New cards issued	75
Average number of books loaned per day	81

Cash received for fines	$9.20
Cash paid out for express, stamps etc	1.60
Cash paid the treasurer	7.60

Adaline A. Reynolds
Librarian.

Feb. 19th 1900.

1900 The regular annual meeting of the board of trustees of Taylor Library was held at the library rooms March 17th.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman Geo. I. Choate

The following officers were elected for the year ensuing:

Geo I Choate chairman
E T Parker treas
F C Sawe clerk

Miss Adeline A Reynolds was elected librarian for the year ensuing

The reports of the treasurer & librarian were accepted and approved.

Voted to appropriate a sum not exceeding $225.00 for the purchasing of new books & that F C Sawe be appointed to select them.

Adjourned.

F. C. Sawe
Clerk.

To the Trustees of Taylor Library

The library was re-opened March 3rd 1900 and books were loaned on 98 days

Whole number of books	4209
Number of books added	207
Number of books donated	23
Number of books loaned	7865
Number of cards used	523
New cards issued	97
Average number of books loaned per day	80

Cash received for fines	$11.50
Cash paid out for express etc	2.13
Cash paid the treasurer	9.37

February 16-1901 A. A. Reynolds.

1901 The regular annual meeting of the board of trustees of Taylor Library was held at the library rooms Mar 27th.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman Geo. I. Choate.

The following reports of the librarian and treasurer and the records of the last meeting were accepted and approved.

The following officers were elected for the year ensuing:

Geo I Choate, chairman
E T Parker, treas
F C Sawyer sec

Miss Adeline A Reynolds was elected librarian for the year ensuing.

It was voted to appropriate $225.00 for the purchasing of new books and that F C Sawyer be appointed to select them.

To the Trustees of Taylor Library

The library was reopened March 2nd 1901, and books have been loaned on ninety eight days.

Whole number of books	4419
Number of books added	210
Number of books donated	12
Number of books loaned	7798
Average number of books loaned per day	79
Number of cards used	570
New cards issued	80
Cash received for fines and catalogues	$11.60
Cash paid out for express, etc	2.10
Cash paid the treasurer	9.50

A. A. Reynolds,
Librarian.

Feb 17th 1902

At a special meeting of the board of trustees of Taylor library held on January 11th 1902 John C Chase was chosen treasurer to take the place of the late Edward T Parker.

Adjourned

F C Sawyer Clerk.

1902

The regular annual meeting of the board of trustees of Taylor Library was held at the library rooms March 17th and Geo. I. Choate, John C Chase, Wm T Morse and F C Sawyer were present.

The reports of the treasurer and librarian were accepted and approved.

The following officers were elected for the year ensuing:

Geo I Choate, chairman
John C Chase, treas.
F C Sawyer, sec.
Adeline A Reynolds, librarian.

Voted that new books be considered seven day books for one year, (or less at the discretion of the librarian) and that slips informing readers of this fact be placed in books.

Wm T Morse was appointed to select books for the year ensuing.

It was voted to appropriate $175.00 for the purchasing of new books and magazines.

Adjourned.

F. C. Sawyer, Sec.

1903

To the Trustees of Taylor Library.

The library was re-opened March 1st 1902 and books were loaned on one hundred and one days.

Whole number of books	4575
Number of books added	156
Number of books donated	9

Number of cards used	598
Number of cards issued	76
Number of books loaned	8496
Average number of books loaned per day	84
Cash received for fines	$8.95
Cash paid out for labels, stamps etc	3.35
Cash paid the treasurer	5.60

February 16th. 1903 A. A. Reynolds, Librarian.

1903 The regular annual meeting of the board of trustees of Taylor Library was held at the Merry News office March 27th. Present: Wm T Morse, John C Chase & F C Saure.

The following officers were elected for the year ensuing:

Wm T Morse, chairman
John C Chase, treas
F C Saure, sec
Miss A A Reynolds, librarian.

The reports of the treasurer and librarian were accepted and approved.

Voted to adjourn.

F C Saure, clerk.

1904

To the Trustees of Taylor Library

The library was reopened March 7th. 1903 and books have been loaned on 96 days

Whole number of books	5193
Number of books added	184

Number of books donated	40
Number of books loaned	9100
Average number of books loaned per day	94
New cards issued	83
Number of cards used	701
Cash received for fines and catalogues	$ 10.40
Cash paid out for express, stamps etc	2.34
Cash paid the treasurer	8.06

A A Reynolds
Librarian

Feb 13 - 1904

1904 The regular annual meeting of the board of trustees of Taylor Library was held March 19th.

In the absence of the secretary A A Hill was appointed secretary pro tem.

The Treasurer John C Chase reported that on account of want of room than usual.

Wm T. Morse was chosen President
F C Saure " Secretary
John C Chase " Treasurer
Miss A A Reynolds " Librarian

Adjourned, subject to call of secretary.

A A Hill
Sec pro tem

A true copy
F C Saure Sec

1905

To the Trustees of Taylor Library.

The library was re-opened March 5th. 1904 and books have been loaned on 98 days

Whole number of books	5507
Number of books added	307
Number of books donated	9
Number of books loaned	9193
Average number of books loaned per day	93
Number of copies of magazines loaned	1340
New cards issued	84
Number of cards used during year	706

Cash received for fines	$10.85
Cash paid out for express, etc	3.48
Cash paid the treasurer	6.37

February 18th. 1905 A A Reynolds, Librarian

The regular annual meeting of the board of trustees of Taylor Library was held at the library March 25th.

Present: H T Morse, John C Chase, Henry O Hill & F C Saure.

The following officers were elected for the year ensuing:

H T Morse, chairman

John C Chase Treas

F C Saure, Clerk

Miss A A Reynolds was chosen librarian.
The reports of the treasurer and librarian were accepted and approved.

Adjourned.

F C Saure, Clerk.

A special meeting of the board of trustees of Taylor Library was held at Mildreth Hall May 18th. The meeting was called for the purpose of filling the vacancy in the board, caused by the removal from town of Greenleaf H Bartlett.

Chas H Abbott was chosen to fill said vacancy.

The rest of the time was spent talking over the general welfare of the library

F C Saure Clerk

-1906-

To the Trustees of Taylor Library

The Library was re-opened March 4th, 1905 and books have been loaned on 100 days

Whole number of books	5581
Number of books added	170
Number of books donated	6
Number of books loaned	9080
Average number of books loaned, per day	90
Number of copies of magazines loaned	1563

New cards issued 73
Number of cards used during year 697

Cash received for fines $9.80

Cash paid out for express etc $3.35
Cash paid the treasurer 6.45

A A Reynolds
Librarian

Feb 14 - 1906

1906 -

The regular annual meeting of the board of trustees of Taylor Library was held Mar 23rd. The meeting was called to order by W. T. Morse, chairman at 3.30 P.M. Present: William T. Morse, John C Chase, Henry O Hill and F. C Saure & Walter S Clement.

A vote was taken for chairman with the following result:

William T Morse 4
Walter S Clement 1

and William T Morse was declared elected.

A vote for clerk was then taken and

Fredrick C Saure had 4 votes
Henry O Hill 1

and ~~Henry O Hill~~ Fredrick C Saure was declared elected

At the election for treasurer

John C Chase had 4
Henry O Hill 1

And ~~Henry O Hill~~ John C Chase was declared elected.

It was moved and seconded that the clerk be instructed to cast one ballot for Adaline A Reynolds for librarian. This having been done Adaline A Reynolds was declared elected.

The reports of the treasurer and librarian were accepted and approved.

John C Chase was chosen to buy the books for the coming year.

Adjourned.

F. C. Saunders, Clerk.

1907

To the Trustees of Taylor Library

The library was re-opened March 3rd 1906 and books have been loaned on 97 days.

Whole number of books	5749
Number of books added	265
Number of books donated	7
Number of books loaned	9089
Average number of books loaned per day	93
Number of copies of magazines loaned	1355
New cards issued	79
Number of cards used during the year	625
Cash received for fines $10.40	
Cash paid out for express etc	$3.97
Cash paid the treasurer	6.43

A A Reynolds, Librarian

Feb 18th 1907

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The regular annual meeting of the board of trustees of Taylor Library was held March 16th. Present: Wm T Morse, John C Chase, Henry O Hill & F C Saure.

After the meeting had been called to order by the chairman the records of the last meeting were read & approved.

The following officers were elected for the year ensuing:

Wm T Morse chairman
John C Chase Treas
F C Saure Clerk

John C Chase was chosen to buy the books during the coming year.

The librarian was authorized to sell such old magazines as were no longer wanted.

The reports of the treasurer and librarian were accepted and approved.

Miss Adeline A Reynolds was elected librarian for the coming year.

Adjourned.

F C Saure Clerk

To the Trustees of Taylor Library

The Library was re-opened March 6, 1907 and books have been loaned for 97 days.

Whole number of books	5805
Number of books added	128
Number of books donated	11
Number of books loaned	8997
Average number of books loaned per day	92
Number of copies of magazines loaned	1351
New cards issued	80
Number of cards used during year	698

Cash received for fines	$ 7.20
Cash paid out for express etc	3.07
Cash paid the treasurer	4.13

February 18, 1908

A. A. Reynolds

The regular annual meeting of the Board of Trustees of Taylor Library was held Mar 28th Present: Wm T. Morse, John C Chase, Henry C Hill, Walter S Clement and F C Sawe

After the meeting had been called to order by the chairman the records of the last meeting were read, accepted and approved.

The reports of the librarian and treasurer as published in the town reports were accepted and approved.

The following vote for officers ~~was~~ l. for

the year ensuing was taken

For chairman Wm T Morse 4

Walter S Clement 1

and Wm T Morse was declared elected

For treasurer John C Chase 4

Walter S Clement 1

and John C Chase was declared elected

For clerk

Fredrick C Saure 4

Walter S Clement 1

and Fredrick C Saure was declared elected

Adeline A Reynolds was chosen librarian for the year ensuing.

John C Chase was appointed to buy the books for the coming year and also authorized to make any improvements he deemed necessary.

Adjourned.

F. C. Saure, clerk

To the Trustees of Taylor Library

The Library was re-opened March 7th 1908 and books have been loaned on 97 days

Whole number of books	6005
Number of books added	206
Number of books donated	9
Number of books loaned	8730
Number of books loaned per day	90
Number of copies of magazines loaned	1370
Number of cards used during year	673
New cards issued	63

Cash received for fines	$ 7.80
Cash paid out for express etc	2.90
Cash paid the treasurer	4.90

A A Reynolds

Feb. 17th 1909

The regular annual meeting of the board of trustees of Taylor Library was held Mar 24th. Present: Henry O Hill, John C Chase and F. C. Saure. Henry O Hill was chosen chairman pro tem. The reports of clerk, librarian and treasurer were approved.

Voted that the clerk be instructed to thank the Rev Lucien Adams for the New Hampshire Genealogy (4 volumes) and for a volume on the class of 1858 (Dartmouth) also Hollis R Bailey for books of daughter of Ex Gov Bell also George Lansing Raymond for A Life in Song, The Aztec God, Ballads and other Poems.

The following officers were elected for the year ensuing:

Wm T Morse, chairman
John C Chase, treasurer
Frederick C Saure, clerk

Miss A A Reynolds was reelected librarian and John C Chase was chosen to buy the books for the coming year.

F C Saure, clerk

Special meeting Oct 13th.

A special meeting of the Board of Trustees of Taylor Library was held at the office of John C Chase for the purpose of acting on the resignation of Miss Adeline A Reynolds, librarian, and all matters pertaining thereto. Present: John C Chase, Walter S Clement, Henry A Hill, Wm T Morse and F C Saurs The meeting was called to order by the chairman Wm T Morse and it was voted to accept the resignation of Miss A A Reynolds.

It was also voted to enter the following into the records of the meeting:

It is only with much regret, that we accept the resignation of Miss A A Reynolds, ~~librarian~~. For twenty years she has been our faithful librarian. Her intelligent care of the books, her readiness to help the patrons of the library, and her willingness to enter into the plans of the trustees have always proved her peculiarly adapted to the position and only her own conviction that her health does not permit her any longer to bear the burdens of the office has influenced us reluctantly to accept her resignation. We earnestly hope for her speedy and complete recovery.

Miss C. Louise Bachelder was unanimously elected librarian, this to take effect Oct 15th.

F. C. Saurs, Clerk.

The regular annual meeting of the board of trustees of Taylor Library was held on June 7th 1911 at the rooms of John C Chase Hildreth Hall. Present: John C Chase, Wm T Morse and F C Saure

The report of the treasurer was accepted and approved.

The following officers were elected for the year ensuing:

Wm T Morse, chairman
John C Chase, treasurer
F C Saure, clerk.

Miss C. Louise Bachelder was reelected librarian

John C Chase and Miss Bachelder were chosen a committee to buy the books for the coming year.

F. C. Saure clerk

May 8th 1912

The regular annual meeting of the board of trustees of Taylor Library was held on May 8th 1912 at the library. Present: Wm T Morse, Horace A Hill, John C Chase and F. C. Saure.

The meeting was called to order by the chairman Wm T Morse. The records of the last meeting having been called for were read and approved.

The reports of the treasurer and librarian as printed in the town report were approved.

The following officers were elected for the year ensuing:

Wm T Morse chairman
John C Chase, treas
F C Saure clerk

Miss C Louise Bachelder was elected

librarian for the year ensuing.

John C Chase and the librarian were chosen a committee to purchase the books for the library during the coming year.

Adjourned.

F. C. Saure clerk

Apr 23rd 1913

The regular annual meeting of the board of trustees of Taylor Library was held on April 23rd 1913

The meeting having been called to order the reports of the treasurer, secretary and librarian were accepted and approved.

The following officers were chosen for the ensuing year:

W T Morse, chairman
F C Saure, secretary
John C Chase, treasurer
C Louise Bachelder, librarian.

The chairman and treasurer were appointed to provide room for additional books.

Voted than on account of lack of space bound volumes of magazines not called for be loaned to Pinkerton Academy and the Derry Public Library at the discretion of the purchasing committee.

Voted that the treasurer and librarian be the purchasing committee for the ensuing year.

Voted to adjourn.

F C Saure, secretary

There was no meeting in 1914 and the old officers continued to serve.

Apr 17th 1915

The regular annual meeting of the Board of Trustees of Taylor Library was held on April 17th 1915.

The meeting having been called to order by the chairman, the reports of the treasurer, secretary and librarian were called for; having been presented they were accepted and approved.

The following officers were chosen for the ensuing year:

W T Morse, chairman
F C Saure, secretary
J C Chase, treasurer
C Louise Bachelder, librarian.

The committee on additional room for books reported that it had done what it could but there was still lack of room.

The committees report was accepted and approved and it was voted that the committee remain in power.

H R Hill and F C Saure and the librarian were chosen to see to the weeding out of books never taken out.

Voted to adjourn.

F C Saure, Sec

Mar 25. 1916

The regular annual meeting of the Board of Trustees of Taylor Library was held at the library March 25th and business transacted as follows:

The clerk having read the minutes of the last meeting they were accepted and approved as were also the reports of the treasurer and librarian as appearing in the Town Report.

The following officers were elected for the year ensuing:

W T Morse, Chairman
John C Chase, Treas
F C Saure, Clerk
C. Louise Bachelder, Librarian

Wm T Morse and the librarian were chosen a committee to prepare a more extended report for next year.

John C Chase, W T Morse and librarian were chosen a committee to purchase the books and magazines for the coming year.

At the annual town meeting John C Chase ~~Wm T Morse~~ was chosen a trustee for five years succeeding himself.

Voted to adjourn.

F. C. Saure, Clerk

Apr 7th 1917

The regular annual meeting of the Board of Trustees of Taylor Library was held at the library on April 7th and business transacted as follows:

The reports of treasurer and librarian as printed in the town report were accepted and approved.

The following officers were elected for the year ensuing:

W T Morse, chairman,
John C Chase, Treas
F C Saure, Clerk
C Louise Bachelder, Librarian.

John C Chase, W T Morse and the librarian were chosen a committee to purchase the books and magazines for the coming year.

At the annual town meeting Wm T Morse was chosen a trustee for five years succeeding himself.

Voted to adjourn.

F C Saure
Clerk

Mar 27, 1918

The regular annual meeting of the Board of Trustees of Taylor Library was held at the library on March 27th and business transacted as follows:

The meeting was called to order by the president Wm T Morse.

The clerk having read the minutes of the last meeting, they were accepted and approved as were also the reports of the treasurer and librarian as printed in the Town Report.

The following officers were elected for the

year ensuing.

Wm T Morse, Chairman.
John C Chase, Treas.
F C Saure, Clerk
C Louise Bachelder, Librarian.

The chairman was instructed to send to the selectmen a statement of accounts which show that payment of amount due the library from fund is six months in arrears, also that he be instructed to request payment.

Messrs Warren, Chase and Morse were chosen a committee to wait upon selectmen in regard to plans for providing more room for the library. They were authorized to expend a reasonable sum to pay a builder for making said plans.

John C Chase, Wm T Morse and the librarian were chosen a committee to purchase books and magazines for the coming year.

Adjourned.

F. C Saure Clerk

At the spring meeting of the town ~~F C Saure~~ Frank H Warren was chosen trustee of the library for the term of five years. ~~succeeding himself~~.

1919

The regular annual meeting of the Board of Trustees of Taylor Library was held at the library on May 8rd and business transacted as follows:

The meeting was called to order by the president W. T. Morse.

The minutes of the last meeting were read accepted and approved.

The reports of the treasurer and librarian as printed in the town report were accepted and approved.

The following officers were elected for the year ensuing:

Wm T Morse, President,
John C Chase, Treas
F C Saure, Clerk
C Louise Bachelder, Librarian.

John C Chase, Wm T Morse and the librarian were chosen a committee for purchasing new books for the library.

Frank H Warren was chosen chairman of a building committee of three to proceed with the work of enlarging the library rooms as soon as practicable. The chairman was given power to appoint the two other members of the committee.

Adjourned.

F C Saure.

At the spring meeting of the town F C Saure was chosen trustee of the library for the term of five years.

June 10 1920

A meeting of the Trustees of Taylor Library was held in the waiting room of the Boston & Maine Railroad station at 3-30 P.M. this day.

Present Messrs Morse, Warren Hill & Chase

The meeting was called to order by the President Wm. F. Morse, and Mr. Chase elected Clerk pro tem.

The reports of the Treasurer and Librarian as printed in the Town Report were accepted and approved.—

The salary of the Librarian was by vote made $180.— per year, dating from Feby. 1st 1920.

The following officers were elected.—

Wm. F. Morse — President.
John C. Chase — Clerk & Treasurer.
E. Louise Bachelder — Librarian.

The Treasurer and Librarian were elected a committee to purchase books during the coming year.—

At the annual Town Meeting Henry O. Hill was elected a Trustee for five years, to succeed himself, and Alan B. Shepard for four years to succeed F. C. Amore, resigned.—

The meeting then adjourned.

A true record attest

John C. Chase
Clerk—

April, 1911.

A meeting of the Trustees of the Taylor Library was held at the Derry National Bank at 3.30 pm. The meeting was called to order by the President, William J. Morse. The records of the previous meeting were read and approved.

On the motion of Mr Chase it was voted that W. J. Morse, A B Shepard and F. H. Warren act as a committee to confer with the officials of the Derry Public Library in relation to a proposed exchange of books for lending purposes between the two Librarys, said committee to have power to put into effect any arrangement that they may have deemed expedient.

The President stated that a bequest of $500.00 from the Estate of the late Marcia Emery had been received and was in the hands of the Trustees of Trust Funds of the town of Derry, N.H.

The following officers were elected for the year ensuing:-

President.	William J. Morse.
Clerk.	Alan B. Shepard.
Treasurer.	John C. Chase.
Librarian.	Louise C. Bachelder.

The meeting was then ajourned.

A true record, attest,

Alan B Shepard
Clerk

At the Spring Town meeting ~~Alan B.~~ John C. Chase ~~Shepard~~ was elected a Trustee for 5 yrs to succeed F. C. Moore

June 13, 1922.

A meeting of the Trustees of the Taylor Library was held at Derry Natl. Bank at 4 p.m. Meeting was called to order by the President. The records of the previous meeting were read and approved. The reports of the Treasurer was read and accepted.

It was moved to leave the matter of exchange of books between Taylor & Derry Public Library to a committee composed of the President, Clerk & Mr. D. H. Hill. It was voted that J. C. Chase be authorized to buy the new books for ensuing year.

The following officers were elected:-

President: Charles S. Emerson.
Treasurer: John C. Chase.
Clerk:- Alan B. Shepard.
Librarian: C. Louise K. Bachelder.

At the Spring Town Meeting Mr. Charles S. Emerson was elected for five years to succeed, Wm. J. Morse.

A true record.
Alan B. Shepard. Clerk.

July 12, 1923.

A meeting of the Trustees of the Taylor Library was held at the Library Rooms at East Derry at 10 o'clock a.m. Present:- C.S. Emerson President, J.C. Chase Treas, Alan B. Shepard Clerk, C. Louise Bachelder Librarian. The meeting was called to order by the President. The records of the previous meeting were read and approved. The report of the Treasurer was read and accepted. The committee appointed to look into the matter of exchange of books reported and after discussion it was decided to discontinue the practise for a time and by vote the Clerk was instructed to write to the librarian of the Derry Public Library requesting the return of all books, at present loaned to them. The Librarian was authorized to instruct the janitor to make necessary small repairs to the screens and give the rooms a thorough cleaning. Also voted to buy 60 watt electric globes to replace those burned out. J.C. Chase was authorized to buy the new books for the ensuing year. The following officers were elected:- President:- C.S. Emerson. Treasurer:- John C. Chase, Clerk:- Alan B. Shepard. Librarian:- C. Louise Bachelder. At the Spring Town meeting R.W. Davis was elected as a Trustee for five years to succeed F.H. Warren. A vacancy occured June 1923 by the death of H.O. Hill, a Trustee. This vacancy could not be filled by the Trustees, it being necessary to wait for the next Town Meeting.

A True Record.

Alan B. Shepard Clerk

October 21, 1924.

A meeting of the Trustees of the Taylor Library was held this date at the Library room at East Derry at 10 o'clock a.m. Present:- Mrs C. S. Emerson President, John C. Chase, Treasurer, Alan B Shepard, Clerk, & C. Louise Bachelder Librarian. The meeting was called to order by the President and the records of the previous meeting were read and approved. A discussion was held as to how to dispose of the increased yearly income available from the Adams fund. It was moved and voted that the Librarian be appointed to set aside old & out of date books & magazines for which there was no call for the purpose of sending them to hospitals etc. It was moved and voted that the Librarian's salary be increased to $240.00 a year dating from August 1, 1924. Alan B Shepard was appointed a committee of one to supervise the building of new shelves in the west room for the storage of out of date books. John C. Chase was authorized to purchase new books for the ensuing year. The following officers were elected:- President:- C. S. Emerson, Treasurer, John C. Chase. Clerk, Alan B. Shepard. Librarian, C. Louise Bachelder. At the Spring of 1924 Town Meeting Alan B. Shepard was elected for a term of 5 years to succeed himself & Mabel Berry was elected for a term of one year to succeed H. O. Hill deceased.

A True Record Attest

Alan B Shepard Clerk.

March 20 1925.

A meeting of the Trustees of the Taylor Library was held on this date at the library room at East Derry, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

Present:- C. S. Emerson President. John C. Chase Treasurer, Alan B. Shepard Clerk, Miss Mabel Berry and C. Louise Bachelder Librarian.

The meeting was called to order by the President and the records of the last meeting were read and approved. The Treasurers report was given as per the printed report in the annual Town Report and was so approved. A discussion as to the advisability of binding the old magazines so was the former custom was held. It was then voted to discontinue this practise in the future.

John C. Chase was authorized to buy all new books for the ensuing year.

The following officers were elected for the year ensuing:- C. S. Emerson, President. John C. Chase, Treasurer, Alan B. Shepard Clerk. & C. Louise Bachelder, Librarian.

The meeting was then adjourned at 11.45 o'clock a.m.

A True record, attest
Alan B. Shepard Clerk.

At the Spring Town Meeting Miss Mabel Berry was elected for a term of five years to succeed herself.

August 16, 1926.

A meeting of the Trustees of the Taylor Library was held at the library room at East Derry at eleven o'clock a.m. Present:- C.S. Emerson Pres. John C. Chase Treasurer and Alan B. Shepard Clerk.

A report of the Treasurer was read and approved and the records of the previous meeting were read and approved.

John C Chase was authorized to purchase new books for the ensuing year

The following officers were elected:- President, C.S. Emerson. Treas. John C Chase. Clerk Alan B Shepard. Librarian Louise C. Bickelder.

The meeting was then adjourned.

At the Spring Town Meeting John C Chase was elected for a term of five years to succeed himself.

A true record attest
Alan B. Shepard.

December 18, 1927.

A meeting of the Trustees of the Taylor Library was held at the home of Miss Mabel Berry at eight o'clock p.m. Present:- L. Winslow Emerson, Miss Mabel Berry and Alan B. Shepard.

The records of the previous meeting were read and approved. The Treasurers report for the past year was also approved.

John C. Chase was authorized to purchase new books for the ensuing year.

Upon recommendation of the Treasurer the salary of the Librarian was increased to $25.00 per year.

The following officers were elected:-
President:- L. Winslow Emerson, Treasurer:- John C. Chase, Clerk:- Alan B. Shepard.
Librarian:- Louise C. Bachelder.

The meeting was then adjourned.

At the Spring Town Meeting L. Winslow Emerson was elected for a term of five years to succeed C. S. Emerson.

A true record attest.

Alan B. Shepard.

December 15, 1929.

A meeting of the Trustees of Taylor Library was held at the home of F.C. Sawyer on dec 15, 1929.

Present:- L. Winslow Emerson, Mrs Mabel Berry & Alan B Shepard.

The records of the previous meeting were read and approved. The Treasurers report was approved as given in the annual Town report.

F.C. Chase was authorized to purchase books for the ensuing year

The following officers were elected:-

President L W. Emerson, Treasurer F. C Chase, Clerk Alan B Shepard Librarian Annie B. Shepard.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned.

At the Spring Town Meeting of 1929 Alan B Shepard was elected for a term of five years to succeed himself and at the Spring Town meeting of 1928 Everett R. Rutter was elected for a term of five years to succeed R W. Davis.

A true record

Alan B Shepard.

Dec. 22, 1930.

A meeting of the Trustees of Taylor Library was held at the new Shepard library building at East Derry at three p.m. on Dec 22, 1930.

Present:- L. Winslow Emerson, Miss Mabel Berry, Everett R. Rutter, Alan B. Shepard and Mrs Annie B. Shepard, librarian.

The records of the previous meeting were read and approved, and the Treasurers report was approved as given in the annual Town Report.

The librarians report was given and approved. It was voted to sell the stove in the old library for $5.00 and that the librarian be authorized to subscribe to the Book of the Month Club.

It was voted that the salary of Mr Dicey the janitor be increased from $60.00 to $85.00 a year.

The following officers were elected:-
President:- L. W. Emerson, Treasurer:- John C Chase, Clerk Alan B Shepard, Librarian:- Annie B. Shepard.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned.

At the Spring Town Meeting Miss Mabel Berry was elected a trustee for a term of 5 years to succeed herself.

A true record,
Alan B. Shepard.

April 4, 1932.

The annual meeting of the Trustees of the Taylor Library was held this date at Adams Female Academy building at 8 o'clock p.m.

Present:- L. W. Emerson Pres. Mabel C. Berry, Everett Rutter, Annie B. Shepard. Librarian, & Alan B. Shepard. Clerk.

The records of the previous meeting were read & approved. The report of the librarian was read and approved also the treasurer's report.

Picture of Rev. Edw. L. Parker presented by Henry C. Cunningham.

It was voted that a letter of thanks be sent to Henry C. Cunningham for the presentation of the picture of Rev. Edward L. Parker to the Library.

The following officers were elected:-

President: L. W. Emerson.
Treasurer:- J. C. Chase.
Clerk :- Alan B. Shepard.
Librarian:- Annie B. Shepard.

It was voted to apply to Trustees of Trust Funds for interest accrued on "Parker Estate Tax Fund." for use to improve Library Lot.

At the Spring Town Meeting of 1931 John C Chase was elected for five years as trustee and at Meeting of 1932 L.W. Emerson was elected a trustee for five years

A true record, attest.
A. B. Shepard Clerk

April 8, 1933.

The annual meeting of the Trustees of the Taylor Library was held this date at the Shepard Library Building at 2 o'clock p.m.

Present:- John C. Chase, Mabel C. Berry, L. H. Bailey Alan B. Shepard and Annie B. Shepard Librarian.

In the absence of the President Mr Emerson, Mr John C. Chase was elected President Pro Tempore.

The records of the previous meeting were read and approved. The reports of the Treasurer and the Librarian as given in the annual Town of Derry report were approved and accepted.

It was voted that the Library be opened Tuesday afternoons and one hour the same evening instead of Wednesday afternoon.

It was voted that opening of the library on Thursday afternoons be left to the discression of the Librarian and the President.

It was voted that the Trustees of Taylor Library apply to the Selectmen of Derry for an amount of money from the Parker Tax Fund, sufficient to construct a cement side walk on the front and West sides of the Library Lot and for the rebuilding of the stone wall.

The following officers were elected:-

President:- L. W. Emerson. Treasurer, John C. Chase.

Clerk, Alan B. Shepard. Librarian Annie B. Shepard.

It was voted that the thanks of the board be extended to Miss Carrie Potter & Miss Sylvia Clark for the presentation of the picture of David S. Clark the first president of the board, and to Mr Charles S. Adams for the gift of the photograph of Frank S. Adams benefactor of the Fund.

Mrs. Carrie Potter & Miss. Sylvia Clark gave picture of their father Mr David S. Clark 1st Pres. of Board.

At the Spring Town Meeting L. Henry Bailey was elected for 5 years to succeed Everett Butter.

A true record attest A. B. Shepard Clerk.

May 23, 1934

The annual meeting of the board of Trustees of the Taylor Library was held this date at the Shepard Library building at 7 30 p.m. E.D.S.T.

Present:- L.W. Emerson, John C. Chase, Mabel C. Berry, Alan B Shepard & Annie B. Shepard Librarian

The record of the previous meeting was read and approved by vote.

The report of the Treasurer as printed in the 1933-1934 annual Town of Derry report ~~be~~ was accepted by vote.

The report of the Librarian as printed in the above Town of Derry annual report was accepted by vote.

It was voted that the Treasurer be authorized, at his discretion, to destroy paid bills of the library, that are over two years old.

It was voted that the President with the advice of the Librarian be authorized at their discretion, if deemed advisable to increase the hours of opening the library during the Summer months, the additional expense of same to be paid from the funds held by the Treasurer.

The following officers were elected:- L.W. Emerson President John C. Chase Treasurer, Alan B. Shepard ~~Treasurer~~ Secretary Clerk, Annie B. Shepard Librarian. Salaries:- Librarian $300 a year Janitor $85.00 a year.

At the Spring Town Meeting Alan B. Shepard was elected a Trustee for 5-years to succeed himself

A true record attest, Alan B Shepard Clerk

September 30, 1935

The annual meeting of the Trustees of the Taylor Library was held this date at the office of the Derry Savings Bank at 4 o'clock pm.

Present:- John C Chase, Mabel C. Berry, Alan B Shepard and Annie B. Shepard, Librarian.

The record of the previous meeting was read and approved. In the absence of the Chairman, Miss Mabel C. Berry was elected Chairman pro-tem.

It was voted that the report of the Treasurer, as printed in the 1935 annual Town of Derry Report, be accepted.

It was voted that the report of the Librarian, as printed in the 1935 annual Town of Derry Report, be accepted.

The Treasurer reported that the bequest of Mary Taylor Burnham, daughter of Nathaniel Taylor, to the Library, had been received by him. Namely, $5,000= dollars, less the Massachusetts inheritance tax of $250= and that the net amount of $4,750= had been paid over by him to the Trustees of Trust Funds of Derry, N.H.

The Librarian reported that the circulation of the library had increased over the previous year.

The following officers were elected:- Chairman:- L.W. Emerson. Treasurer, John C. Chase. Clerk:- Alan B. Shepard Librarian, Annie B. Shepard

The following salaries were voted:- Librarian:- $300= a year Janitor $85.00 a year.

At the Spring Town Meeting Miss Mabel C. Berry was elected a Trustee for the term of five years to succeed herself.

A true record attest

Alan B. Shepard Clerk

April 6, 1936

The annual meeting of the Trustees of the Taylor Library was held this date at Adams Female Academy building at 8 o'clock pm

Present:- L. W. Emerson & Mabel C Berry and Alan B Shepard + Annie B. Shepard Librarian.

The record of the previous meeting was read and approved and the report of the Treasurer as given in the 1936 Annual Town report was approved.

It was voted that the report of the Librarian as given in the 1936 Annual Town report be approved.

The resignation of John C. Chase as Treasurer was accepted with regrets and a vote of thanks was extended to Mr. Chase for his long and faithful service.

Following officers were elected:- L. W. Emerson, Chairman Mabel C. Berry, Treasurer, Alan B. Shepard Clerk Annie B. Shepard, ~~Clerk~~ Librarian.

The following salaries were voted:- Librarian $300.00 a year, Janitor $85.00 a year

Tel. installed - It was voted to have a 2 party line telephone installed in the library building.

At the Spring Town Meeting John C. Chase was elected a Trustee for 5 years to succeed himself

A true record attest,

A. B. Shepard Clerk.

June 8, 1937

The annual meeting of the Trustees of the Taylor Library was held this date at the Library Building in East Derry at 8 o'clock p.m.

Present:- L. W. Emerson, ~~Chairman~~ President, Mabel C. Berry, Treasurer, Alma B. Shepard Clerk, Annie B. Shepard Librarian and Mrs. Frederick J. Grady Trustee.

The record of the previous meeting was read and approved and the report of the Treasurer as given in the 1937 Annual Town report was approved by vote.

The report of the Librarian as given in the 1937 Annual Town report was approved by vote.

The following officers were elected:-
L. Winslow Emerson President, Mabel C. Berry Treasurer Mrs. Frederick J. Grady, Clerk and Annie B. Shepard Librarian.

The following salaries were voted:- Librarian $300.00 a year, Janitor $85.00 a year.

John C. Chase, Trustee and Treasurer for many years died April 13, 1936. Mrs Frederick J. Grady was appointed Trustee, by the board, to take his place until Spring Town Meeting.

At the Spring Town Meeting Mrs. Frederick J. Grady was elected a Trustee for 4 years to succeed John C. Chase and L. Winslow Emerson was elected a Trustee for 5 years to succeed himself.

A true record attest,
A. B. Shepard Clerk

April 4th 1938

The annual meeting of the Trustees of Taylor Library was held this date at 8 o'clock P.M. in the community room of the Adams Female Academy, those present, L. W. Emerson, President, Mrs. Loren H. Bailey, Miss Mabel Berry and Alan B. Shepard, and Mrs Annie B. Shepard, librarian. Alan B. Shepard was named Secretary, Pro Tem.

By vote the secretary was instructed to cast one ballot for the following officers, L. W. Emerson, President, Miss Mabel Berry, Treasurer, Mrs. F. J. Grady, Secretary, and the same were duly declared elected.

Mrs Annie B. Shepard was elected librarian for the ensuing year.

Mrs Grace Bailey was elected to serve as a trustee for five years

It was voted that the same salaries be paid as in the previous year to the librarian + janitor.

It was voted that L. W. Emerson and Alan B. Shepard be a committee to confer with the selectmen with the view of getting an increased appropriation from the town to take care of the expenses of keeping up the grounds around the library building and the possibility of increasing the fire insurance on the building.

The reports of the treasurer and librarian as printed in the annual Town Report were approved and accepted.

There being no further business it was voted to adjourn.

Alan B. Shepard,
(E.C.G.) Secretary, Pro Tem

April 1st 1939

The annual meeting of the Trustees of Taylor Library was held this date at 8 o'clock P.M. in the Library Building in East Derry, those present were Mrs. Annie B. Shepard, librarian, Mr. L. W. Emerson, President, Miss Mabel Berry, Treasurer, Mr Alan B. Shepard, Mrs Grace Bailey and Eleanor C. Grady, clerk.

By vote the secretary was instructed to cast one ballot for the following officers, Mr L.W. Emerson President, Miss Mabel Berry, Treasurer, Mrs Eleanor C. Grady, secretary, Mr Alan B. Shepard and Mrs Grace Bailey Trustees and the same were duly declared elected.

Mr Alan B. Shepard was elected to serve as a trustee for 5 yrs.

Mrs Annie B. Shepard was elected librarian for the ensuing year.

It was voted that the same salaries be paid as in the previous year to the librarian and janitor.

The reports of the treasurer and librarian as printed in the annual Town Report were approved and accepted.

There being no further business it was voted to adjourn.

Eleanor C. Grady, secretary

May 21 - 1940

The annual meeting of the Trustees of the Taylor Library was held this date in the Library Building, those present were Mr L. W. Emerson, President, Miss Mabel Berry, Mr Alan B. Shepard, Mrs Grace Bailey, Mrs Annie B. Shepard, librarian, and Eleanor C. Grady, secretary.

By vote the secretary was instructed to cast one ballot for the following officers, Mr. L. W. Emerson, President, Mr. Alan B. Shepard, Treasurer, and Eleanor C. Grady, secretary, and the same were duly declared elected.

Mrs Annie B. Shepard wished to resign as librarian but she was urged to remain and was unanimously elected for the ensuing year.

Miss Mabel Berry was elected to serve as trustee for 5 years.

A Book Committee was suggested and Miss Mabel Berry and Mrs Grace Bailey were appointed members of that committee.

It was voted to make the librarian's salary $325. and the janitor's the same as previously.

It was also voted to have the library painted inside and out.

It was agreed that Mrs Florence Addison would be Mrs Shepard's assistant.

The reports of the treasurer and librarian as printed in the annual Town Report were approved and accepted.

There being no further business it was voted to adjourn.

Eleanor C. Grady,
secretary

July 24, 1943

5 years Each

March 1941 Eleanor Grady was re-elected for another term.
" 1942 L. Winslow Emerson " " " " "
" 1943 Mrs. Grace Bailey " " " " " "

The annual meeting of the Trustees of the Taylor Library was held July 24, 1943 in the Library Bldg.
There having been no meeting during the past two years the same officers remained in their respective positions during that time.

The meeting was called to order by the President, Mr. L. W. Emerson. By vote the secretary was instructed to cast one ballot for the following officers, M. L. W. Emerson, Pres. Lieut. Col. (Mr.) Alan B. Shepard, treas. and Eleanor C. Grady, sec. and the same were duly declared elected.

Mrs. Annie B. Shepard tendered her resignation as librarian but the Board refused to accept it and she was unanimously elected for another year. In January 1942 Mrs Florence Addison moved to Milford N. H. and Miss Mabel Berry was appointed assistant to Mrs. Shepard.

It was decided to have the floor sanded and then floor seal put on and then waxed and to purchase new mats and to have this done the library would have to be closed for one week in September.

The salaries of the librarian and janitor were to remain the same.

The reports of the treasurer and librarian as printed in the annual Town Report were approved and accepted.

There being no further business it was voted to adjourn.

Eleanor C. Grady. secretary.

Jan. 6, 1945

Trustees of the Taylor Library

The adjourned meeting of April 1944 was held in the Library Bldg. on Jan. 6, 1945

The meeting was called to order by the Pres. M. L. Winslow Emerson.

By vote the secretary was instructed to cast one ballot for the following officers, Mr L. Winslow Emerson, Pres. Col. Alan B. Shepard, Treas. and Eleanor C. Grady, Sec. and the same were duly declared elected.

It was suggested and all agreed that a painting of Mrs. Annie B. Shepard should be placed in the library with a suitable plaque.

By a unanimous vote Miss Mabel Berry was elected Librarian.

Mrs Shepard's absence was felt very keenly by everyone. Her help will be greatly missed.

It was suggested that a magazine stand be purchased. A Book Com. was also suggested and Miss Berry, Mrs Bailey & Eleanor Grady were appointed to serve.

The librarian is to have an assistant help her in discarding the books. It was also suggested that books to be discarded should go to the paper drive.

The Reports of the Librarian & Treasurer as printed in the Annual Town Meeting were approved and accepted.

Meeting adjourned.

Eleanor C. Grady, Sec.

May 21 - 1946

The Trustees of the Taylor Library met at the Library Building on May 21. 1946

Since the last meeting Mr Winslow Emerson, the President, passed away after a short illness, and Mr. A. B. Shepard acted as President, Pro Tem.

Mr Emerson had done a great deal for the Library and was one of the most cooperative and interested members concerning its welfare.

At the Town Meeting Mr Harold Hamilton was elected as a trustee in place of Miss Berry and Mr Paul Brickett was elected to serve for the unexpired term of Mr Emerson.

By a unanimous vote of the Trustees Mr Harold Hamilton was elected President, Mr Shepard, Treasurer, Eleanor Grady, Sec.

Also by a unanimous vote Miss Mabel Berry was elected Librarian and her salary was to be increased $10.00 a month.

It was decided to have the doors and trimmings painted and have John Shidden fix the screens. A Committee was appointed to arrange to have an Oil Burner installed.

Wood for fireplace

Oil Burner installed.

About half a cord of wood is to be bought for the fire-place. A Motion was made and seconded to have "The Helen Merrill Fund" stamped on the books purchased with that money.

It was agreed to have the "Reader's Guide to Periodicals" in the Library.

Reports of the Librarian and Treasurer as printed in the annual Town Meeting were approved & accepted.

Meeting adjourned.

Eleanor C. Grady, Sec.

May 6, 1947

The Trustees of the Taylor Library met at the Library building on May 6, 1947 The Meeting was called to order by the President, Mr Harold Hamilton. By vote the secretary was instructed to cast one ballot for the following officers,

Mr Harold Hamilton, President
Mr Allen B. Shepard, Treasurer
Mrs Eleanor Grady, Secretary, and the same were duly declared elected.

Miss Mabel Berry was elected librarian for the ensuing year.

A committee was appointed consisting of Mr Shepard, Mr Hamilton + Mr Brickett to care for the Building and grounds.

It was agreed to purchase the "Brittanica Junior" suitable for Junior High children. Mr Hamilton will order it.

It was decided to leave Mr Merizone for janitor.

The reports of the treasurer and librarian as printed in the annual Town Report were approved and accepted.

At the annual Town Meeting Mr ~~Grace~~ Paul Brickett ~~Bailey~~ was ~~re~~elected to serve five years as a trustee.

Meeting adjourned
Eleanor C. Grady, Sec.

July 27, 1948

The annual meeting of the Trustees of the Taylor Library was held on this date at 8 o'clock P.M. in the Library Building

Mr A. B. Shepard acted as President, Pro Tem in place of the late Mr Harold Hamilton who had been President during this past year.

Mr Hamilton took a keen interest in the Library and his cooperations and helpful suggestions will be greatly missed.

His untimely death is regretted by all.

By a unanimous vote the secretary was instructed to cast one ballot for the following officers

Mr Paul Brinkett, President

Mr. Allen B. Shepard, Treasurer

Mrs. Eleanor Grady, Secretary and the same were duly declared elected.

Mr Ralph D. Abercrombie was chosen to serve thru the unexpired term of Mr. Hamilton At the annual Town Meeting Mr. Allen B. Shepard was elected Trustee for five years.

By a unanimous vote Miss Mabel Berry was elected librarian for the ensuing year.

It was voted to have more insurance placed on the Building and to have the electric lights & septic tank attended to. Also to ask the Town for $1000. instead of $700. Miss Berry is to purchase more books. It was decided to have Mr Bailey janitor. The reports of the treasurer and librarian as printed in the annual Town Report were approved & accepted.

Meeting adjourned. Eleanor C. Grady, Sec.

October 17, 1949

Meeting of the Trustees of the Taylor Library

The annual meeting was called to order by Mr Paul Brickett, the President.

Mr Ralph Abercrombie was sworn in as a member of the Board having been elected to fill out the unexpired term of Mr. Hamilton

By a unanimous vote the secretary was instructed to cast one ballot for the following officers Mr. Paul Brickett, President

Mr. Allen B. Shepard, Treasurer

Mrs Eleanor G. Grady, Secretary and

the same were duly declared elected.

The Treasurer's report was read and approved.

Miss Berry presented the Librarian's report which was accepted.

It was voted to have Mr Shepard and Mr Abercrombie, as a committee, ask the Town to increase the Library appropriation.

Mr Cushing the Town Manager was present and talked over our problems with us.

The Meeting adjourned at 9:35 P. M.

Ralph D. Abercrombie Sec. Pro Tem

April 18. 1950

Meeting of the Trustees of the Taylor Library

The annual meeting was called to order by Mr Paul Brickett, Pres.

By vote the secretary was instructed to cast one ballot for the following officers.

Mr Paul Brickett, President
Mr Allen B. Shepard, Treasurer
Mrs Eleanor C. Grady, secretary

and the same were duly declared elected.

The Treasurer's report was read and approved.

The Town having increased the appropriation to $1100. it was voted ~~the~~ to raise the Librarian's salary to $520. and allow $500. for books $80.00 for magazines and $100. for janitor as usual.

It was voted to increase the insurance $4000. which brings it up to $10,000. now.

A discussion about repairs and all agreed to have a committee consisting of Mr Shepard Mr Brickett and Mr Abercrombie attend to them.

The reports of the Treasurer and Librarian as printed in the annual Town Report were approved and accepted.

Meeting adjourned.

Eleanor C. Grady. Sec.

August 14, 1951

Meeting of the Trustees of the Taylor Library

The annual meeting of the Trustees of the Taylor Library was called to order by Mr. Paul Brickett, the President.

The Treasurer's report was read and approved.

Mrs. Ethel L. Hurlbut was sworn in as a member of the Board, having been elected to fill out the unexpired term of Mrs. Grace Bailey.

By vote the secretary was instructed to cast one ballot for the following officers:

Mr. Paul Brickett - President

Mr. Allen B. Shepard - Treasurer

Mrs. Ethel L. Hurlbut - Secretary, and the same were duly declared elected.

It was voted to pay Miss Berry, the Librarian the sum of $520.00 and Mr. Bailey the janitor $100, the same as usual.

It was voted to spend up to $100.00 to renovate the building, the work to be in charge of the Building Committee - Mr. Abercrombie, Mr. Brickett and Mr. Shepard.

It was voted to take out Public Liability Insurance on the property to protect patrons against injury on the premises.

The reports of the Treasurer and Librarian as printed in the Annual Town Report were approved and accepted.

Meeting adjourned.

Ethel L. Hurlbut, Sec.

June 3, 1952

Meeting of the Trustees of the Taylor Library

The annual meeting of the Trustees of the Taylor Library was called to order by Mr. Paul Brickett, the President.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer's report was approved and motion made and passed that the report be accepted.

A motion was made and seconded that the same slate of officers be elected as follows: Mr. Paul Brickett - President, Mr. Alan B. Shepard - Treasurer, Mrs. Ethel L. Hurlbut - Secretary, and the same were duly declared elected.

The Librarian's report was approved and accepted.

A motion was made to pay the Librarian, Miss Berry, the same salary, $520.

A discussion was held concerning the janitors job and it was left to Mr. Shepard to confer with Mr. Bailey. It was recommended that a woman be hired in the fall to do a house-cleaning job in the building.

A motion was made that the same committee be nominated to make repairs on Library as needed. This was approved and the committee is as follows: Mr. Shepard, Mr. Brickett and Mr. Abercrombie. Meeting adjourned.

Ethel L. Hurlbut, Secretary

At the Annual Town Meeting Mr. Paul Brickett was elected to serve as a trustee for five years.

March 24, 1953

Meeting of the Trustees of the Taylor Library.

The annual meeting of the Trustees of the Taylor Library was called to order by the President - Mr. Paul Brickett.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The report of the Treasurer, given in the Town Report, was read and approved by the meeting. It was recommended that we ask for more money in the next appropriation.

The Librarian's report as given in the Town Report was accepted.

A motion was made and carried that the salary of the Librarian ($520.) be the same as last year.

It was recommended that Mr. Shepard be given the task of straightening out the problems of janitor service.

A motion was made and carried that the same slate of officers be elected as follows: Mr. Paul Brickett - President, Mr. Alan B. Shepard - Treasurer, Mrs. Ethel L. Hurlbut Secretary, and the same were duly declared elected.

The same committee on repairs were again elected - Mr. Shepard, Mr. Brickett and Mr. Abercrombie. Meeting adjourned.

Ethel L. Hurlbut - Secretary

At the annual Town meeting Mrs. Ethel L. Hurlbut was elected to serve as a Trustee for five years.

May 11, 1954

Meeting of the Trustees of the Taylor Library

The annual meeting of the Trustees of the Taylor Library was called to order by Paul Brickett, the President.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The report of the treasurer was read and accepted.

The Librarian's report was read and accepted with thanks.

A motion was made and carried that the Librarian's salary be the same as last year. It was suggested that Ruth Merigon be secured to help out in the library when necessary.

A motion was made and carried to pay the expenses of the Librarian to the meeting of the State Librarian Association.

It was recommended to ask for $100 extra in the annual appropriation. It was also recommended that iron railings be secured to place on each side of the steps to the library.

Mr. Shepard was appointed to take care of the recommendations, also the problems of janitor service.

A motion was made and

At the annual Town meeting Alan B. Shepard was elected to serve as a Trustee for five years.

carried that the same slate of officers be elected by casting one vote:

Mr. Paul Brickett - President
Mr. Alan B. Shepard - Treasurer
Mrs. Ethel L. Hurlbut - Secretary

The same committee on repairs was elected - Mr. Shepard, Mr. Brickett and Mr. Abercrombie.

Meeting adjourned,

Ethel L. Hurlbut, Secretary

May 21, 1955

Meeting of the Trustees of the Taylor Library

The annual meeting of the Trustees of the Taylor Library was called to order by Paul Brickett, the President.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The treasurer's report was read and accepted.

The Librarian's report, as printed in the Town Report, was accepted with thanks and appreciation.

It was recommended to pay the Librarian $624.00 and $150 for janitor service. This was voted upon and carried. It was also voted to pay the expenses of the Librarian to the State meeting.

The committee on repairs reported that railings on either side of the steps to the library had been installed. The woodwork on both the inside and outside of the building had been painted and the floor refinished.

It was recommended that the walls of the library be painted, also that new shades be bought for the building.

The duties of the janitor were outlined. Mr. Shepard was appointed to take care of the recommendations.

At the Annual Town Meeting Mr. Ralph D. Abercrombie was elected to serve as a Trustee for five years.

a motion was made and carried that the same slate of officers be elected by casting one vote:

Mr. Paul Brickett - President
Mr. Alan B. Shepard - Treasurer
Mrs. Ethel L. Hurlbut - Secretary

Meeting adjourned,
Ethel L. Hurlbut, Secretary

November 5, 1956

Meeting of Trustees of Taylor Library

The annual meeting of the Trustees of the Taylor Library was called to order by the president, Mr. Paul Brickett, at 8:30 P.M. at the Taylor Library.

Mrs. Ruth Wheeler was appointed secretary pro tem in the absence of Mrs. Ethel Hurlbut. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The treasurer's report was read and accepted.

The report of the librarian as published in the Town Report was approved and accepted.

The committee on repairs reported that work on the railings and walls will begin immediately and that new window shades will be installed. The furnace will be cleaned and checked and some furniture repaired.

The following officers were elected:

President - Mr. Paul Brickett

Treasurer - Mr. Alan B. Shepard

Secretary - Mrs. Ruth Wheeler

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned.

Ruth G. Wheeler, Secretary

At the annual town meeting Mrs. Ruth G. Wheeler was elected to serve as trustee for five years.

April 30, 1957

Meeting of Trustees of Taylor Library

The annual meeting of the Trustees of the Taylor Library was called to order by the president, Mr. Paul Brickett, at 8:30 at the Taylor Library.

The librarian's report was made and accepted.

The treasurer's report was read and accepted.

The salary of the librarian was discussed and found to be adequate and satisfactory to the librarian.

It was recommended that a more recent dictionary be purchased.

It was reported that the windows have been painted; the stairs have been repaired and painted, and the railing has been painted.

The treasurer reported that an additional $5000 in fire insurance was recommended and it was voted to increase the fire insurance to that extent.

The possibility of filling in the rear windows with shelves for additional space was discussed.

A motion was made and carried that the same slate of officers be elected:

President - Mr. Paul Brickett

Treasurer - Mr. Alan Shepard

Secretary - Mrs. Ruth Wheeler

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned.

Ruth G. Wheeler, Secretary

At the annual town meeting Mr. Paul Brickett was elected to serve for 5 years and Mr. Milton White was elected to serve for three years to fill out the term of the late Mr. Ralph Abercrombie.

May 20, 1958

Meeting of the Trustees of the Taylor Library

The annual meeting of the Trustees of the East Derry Taylor Library was called to order by the president, Mr. Paul Brickett, at 8:15 P.M.

The secretary's report and the treasurer's reports were read and accepted.

The librarian reported that the mothers' Club of the Adams School had disbanded and donated $20 to the library for the purpose of purchasing children's books. It was decided that these books would be selected by the librarian and the secretary with the assistance of Mrs. Helen Garrison, a professional children's librarian.

A letter was read which was written by Mrs. Eleanor Grady, Secretary of the Child Welfare Club, in 1928, thanking Mr. Frederick Shepard, Jr. for the gift of a library to East Derry.

The librarian's salary was again discussed, and although she still refused a raise, it was agreed that any assistance she required during the year would be paid by the library in the future.

Mr. Brickett reported that Mr. Black will no longer be able to be janitor, but Mr. William Olsen has agreed to replace him.

Other business decided upon was having a lavatory installed in a small back room; having a sign denoting library hours placed out front; contacting Mrs. Abercrombie about conducting a story hour for the children during the summer months; and appointing Mr. Brickett & Mr. Shepard to see about the shrubbery, floors and chairs of the library.

The same slate of officers was voted in for the ensuing year as follows: President - Mr. Paul Brickett; Treasurer - Mr. Alan Shepard; Secretary - Mrs. Ruth Wheeler.

All business having been concluded, the meeting was adjourned.

Ruth G. Wheeler, Secretary

At the annual Town meeting Mrs. Janice Booth was elected to serve for five years.

June 16, 1959

Meeting of Trustees of Taylor Library

The annual meeting of the Trustees of the Taylor Library was called to order by the president, Mr. Paul Brickett, at 8:30 P.M. In the absence of the secretary Mr. Alan Shepard acted as secretary, pro tem.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. The treasurer's report was read and approved.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President - Mr. Paul Brickett; Treasurer - Mr. Alan Shepard; Secretary - Mrs. Ruth Wheeler.

It was voted to increase the librarian's salary to $780.00 and the janitor's salary to $208.00. Miss Berry was authorized to employ her niece to re-type catalogue cards.

It was voted to paint the outside wood trim of the library and to refinish the inside floor.

Mr. Milton White was authorized to have a sign made denoting library hours and to have it set in the ground in front of the library building.

All business having been completed the meeting was adjourned.

Ruth G. Wheeler, Secretary

June 9, 1960

Meeting of Trustees of Taylor Library

The annual meeting of the Trustees of the Taylor Library was called to order by the president, Mr. Paul Birchett. The reports of the secretary and treasurer were read and approved. The librarian, Miss Mabel Berry, reported that she was physically unable to continue and wished to resign. After her many years of loyal and devoted service to the library, the Trustees accepted her resignation with regret.

Miss Berry highly recommended Mrs. Ruth Varney to succeed her. Mrs. Varney has been working in the library and has been of great assistance to the librarian. It was decided that Mr. Shepard would ask Mrs. Varney if she would be willing to become librarian as of July 1st, 1960.

The librarian was authorized to purchase a modern edition of the Dewey Decimal System.

It was voted to have screens put in the windows of the back room; to have the floor refinished and painted; and to have Mr. White recondition the typewriter.

The possibility of a change in hours was discussed but no decision was reached. It was also suggested that some arrangement be made for the deposit of books when the library was closed.

All business having been concluded the meeting was adjourned.

Ruth G. Wheeler, Secretary

July 18, 1961

Meeting of the Board of Trustees of Taylor Library

The meeting was called to order by the President, Mr. Paul Brickett. The secretary's report was read and accepted.

The librarian, Mrs. Ruth Varney, reported that the library hours had successfully been changed to 7 to 9 PM on Tuesday and 2 to 5 and 7 to 8 PM on Thursday. She also reported that the back stairs had been fixed.

It was decided to repaint the outside trim of the building; to paint the basement and widen the shelves there; and to install an electric plug in the ~~ba~~ work room.

It was voted to allow the De Molay boys to take care of all library discards.

The same slate of officers was elected for the ensuing year: President - Paul Brickett; Treasurer - Alan B. Shepard; Secretary - Ruth Wheeler.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned.

Ruth G Wheeler
Secretary

June 28, 1962

Meeting of The Board of Trustees of The Taylor Library

The meeting was called to order by the president. The reports of the secretary and treasurer were read and accepted. The librarian reported that the circulation is continuing to increase. She is now taking library courses. It was agreed that Miss Louise Sherman replace Mrs. Varney so that she might take one week's vacation in July and one week in August. Mr. White volunteered to be on the look-out for another typewriter which is badly needed. The librarian reported that the Bookmobile has been very helpful loaning books to the library for a ten week period.

The Trustees voted to request an increase from the town in next year's budget to enable them to raise the salary of the librarian.

It was agreed to pay the additional cost for books with picture jackets that have eye appeal and create more interest in reading.

It was suggested and carried that a card be sent to the former librarian, Miss Mabel Berry, who is soon to enter the hospital.

The Trustees voted to have two meetings in the ensuing ~~the~~ year, the next meeting to be held in January, 1963.

The same slate of officers was reelected.

Respectfully submitted,

Ruth G Wheeler

January 31, 1963

The meeting was convened at 8 PM by the President. Reports of the Treasurer + Secretary were read and accepted. The Librarian reported that circulation had reached over 6000 ~~for~~ which was an increase of 26% over last year. Since an encyclopedia is desperately needed, it was decided that the $300 left by Miss Lillian Poor to buy books for children would be used to purchase two sets of encyclopedias. The choice of encyclopedias was left up to the Librarian. It was also decided that the books which belonged to Adams Female Academy could be discarded and the disposition of other very old books (circa 1814) would be left to the discretion of the Librarian.

It was voted to spend $600 for new books this year and $100 for magazines. It was also voted to have the shelves in the storeroom downstairs widened. It was noted that a new oil burner is essential. It was voted to install a base plug in the work room.

The Trustees voted to raise the Librarian's salary to $1300 post-dated to January 1st and to raise the janitor's salary to $260.

All business having been completed, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
Ruth G Wheeler
Secretary

June 2, 1964

The meeting was convened by President Paul Brickett at 8 P.M. The secretary's and Treasurer's reports were read and accepted. The Treasurer reported that $2400 had been requested for the 1964 budget and this increase of $200 was granted.

It was voted to increase the librarian's salary to $1100 retroactive to January 1, 1964.

The librarian reported that the shelves downstairs had been widened. She also reported that circulation of books is continuing to increase and that students use reference books constantly. She reported the need for an exhaust fan and also for 50 wooden book blocks to be used in place of the metal bookends. Trustee Janice Dearth volunteered to take care of the latter.

It was noted that the trim and door need repainting and it was decided to contact Mr Sawyer about sanding and refinishing the floors.

The same slate of officers was elected for the ensuing year: Paul Brickett - President; Alan Shepard - Treasurer and Ruth Wheeler - Secretary.

Respectfully submitted,
Ruth G. Wheeler
Secretary

Taylor Library
~~East~~ Derry
Annual meeting of trustees

Thurs. April 28, 1965

Present: Paul Brickett, Alan B. Shepard, Mrs Varney
Janice Dearth - Mr. Burton Varney (guest)

The meeting was called to order by the President, Mr. Brickett, at 8:15 P.M.

Librarian report

The librarian, Vicki Varney, made her report. The Derry Book Club has offered to buy a book of $10.00 value. Mrs. Varney would like American Heritage book on Civil War - cost $20.00 The Book Club would give 10.00 if we give 10.00 but want their book mark in the book - she also needs a new dictionary and is to find the cost. She reports she needs more postage money because of the increased use of State Library books. The motion was made to accept this report with commendation. There was an affirmative vote.

Treas. Report.

The Treasurer reported we started the year with $513.00 and ended with $258.00. Spent $521.00 repairs as appears in the town report. No increase in appropriation is requested this year. The Treasurers report was approved.

Election Officers

Mr. Shepard moved we elect Paul Brickett as Pres. Janice Dearth as Secy. and Ruth Wheeler as Treas. if she will accept (Mr. Shepard wishing to resign as Treas. He moved we appoint Mrs Varney librarian and further moved the librarians salary be increased by $100.00 making $1200 Mr. Brickett seconded the motion and there was a unanimous vote favoring it.

There was a discussion regarding the shrubbery and cutting it back - Mr. Shepard is to speak to Bill Olsen about it. Also discussed was parking space for the librarians car (store cars are now being parked in the church drive way.)

It was suggested we have a fall meeting possibly in Oct.

Respectfully submitted.
Janice Dearth
Secy pro tem.

Thurs. December 2, 1965

Special Meeting.
Taylor Library Trustees

Present: Paul Brickett Alan B Shepard
Vickie Varney Burton Varney Janice Dearth

The meeting was called to order at 1 35 p.m.
The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. Mr. Shepard has been acting as treas. - until Dec. anyway.

The librarian reports she has two books missing - one a collectors manual - and she questions what to do. She has petit cards. Mr. Shepard offered to call at the offenders residence and see what he can accomplish.

The meeting was adjourned at 1 55 p.m.

Respectfully submitted
Janice Dearth. Secy.

April 14, 1966

Annual Meeting
Taylor Library Trustees.

Present: Paul Brickett Alan B. Shepard
Vicki Varney Burton Varney
Janice Dearth Alice True (8 20 pm)

The meeting was called to order at 8 10 pm by the Pres. Paul Brickett.
The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.
The Treasurers report - Mr. Shepard says is as in the Town Report. $250.00 additional found on interest on a specific trust fund.
Report approved.
Mr. Shepard reported the two books on which he was to make inquiry, he recovered.
The librarian asked about a punch stamp for title pages of books - also rubber stamp for ends of books - this would seem to be of more value. The librarian reports everything is running smoothly - she has ordered 12 new book ends. She thinks there may be a drop in circulation next year because of school libraries. She was asked if we should reconsider the vote to join the state libraries and she says "not yet."
Election of Officers: It was moved (Alan B. Shepard) and seconded (Burton Varney) That Mr. Brickett be Pres. Mrs. Dearth Secy. and Mrs. True Treas and Mrs. Varney reappointed librarian.
The Secy. is requested to notify the First Nat'l Bank

that (Mrs) Alice True is the new Treasurer.
Repairs - Trees - discussion - decided to try
cutting them back and pruning. Mr. Francis
had the lawn raked and Mr. Cox offers to paint
the fence if Mr. Francis supplies the paint.
Mr. Shepard will ask the Selectmen to fix the
sidewalk.

There was some discussion about the floors -
should they be refinished this summer - The chandelier
need washing - Mrs. Varney reports the janitorial
work is O.K. she calls and says what she needs and
it is done.

Mr. Shepard is to call Mr. Allegyer regarding
windows on the back room it is so cold in
the winter.

The meeting was adjourned @ 8 45 p.m.
Respectfully submitted
Janice D. Curtis Secy.

Sept. 1966.
Voted to join State Library Assoc.
Voted to pay Mrs. Varneys expenses
when she goes to Library meetings.
Paul Brickell Jr.
Secy Pro tem.

February 14, 1967

On February 14, 1967 a library meeting was called to order at 8 30 p.m. with Mr. Shepard Mr. Brickett, Mr. Varney, Mrs. Varney and Mrs. True present.

Mr. Warren Garland was present to discuss our present coverage of insurance.

He discussed a new type of insurance available to public buildings which requires a coverage of 80% of the value. Policy provided liability $100,000. (property damage) medical payments $500. Contents $10,000. Building $25000. all risk coverage on building and contents except theft.

A motion was made and seconded to buy the package policy for a premium of $532.00 for three years — an increase of approximately $18. for a great deal more coverage.

A motion was made by Mr. Shepard and seconded by Mrs. True to install a telephone at the library.

The meeting was adjourned at 9 45 p.m.

Alice True Secy Protem.

Apr. 22 (?) 1967

Present: B. Varney, V. Varney (lib.), A.B. Shepard, J. Dearth, P. Brickett, A. True.

The meeting was called to order by the Pres. Paul Brickett at 8 15 p.m.

The Secretary's report was read and accepted.

The Treasurer's report was reported as in the Town Report.

The motion was made by Mr. Shepard and seconded by Mr. Varney ~~that~~ the present officers be reelected: Pres. Mr. Brickett; Treas. Alice True; Secy. Janice Dearth. and that Mrs. Varney continue as librarian. Vote affirmative.

Mrs. Varney ~~reported~~ that the association with the State library was very helpful to her - workshops and meetings - and that book prices are better.

Mr. Shepard reports that the Perry Garden Club would like to landscape the library grounds and he made a motion we accept the offer. The vote was in the affirmative. He reported that the fence is in the process of being painted. He will inquire about the windows and will also make inquiry about sanding and refinishing the library floor - or any other possibility.

Mr. Brickett commented on the telephone - 432-7186.

Mr. Shepard made the motion, seconded by Mrs. True, that the librarians salary

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be increased $10.00 a month - $120.00 per annum.
The vote was affirmative.
The meeting was adjourned at 9.00 pm.
Respectfully submitted.
Janice Dearnsay.

January 18, 1968.

Present: R. Varney (Lib.) J. Death
B. Varney G. Rue
P. Brickett A. B. Shepard.

The meeting was called to order at 8:15 p.m.

The report of the secretary was read and approved (excepting that the secy. was unsure of the exact date of the meeting being accurate.)

The Treasurer presented typed copies of her report prepared for the town report. (The librarian had been overpaid $3.00 and this was to be adjusted.) The Trustees of the Trust funds had overpaid $111.89 and this had to show as expenditure.

If repairs were to be made, we would need more money. Also the librarian wished to increase the number of hours the libary was to be open by three hours making it open 12 hrs. a week - 2-8 P.M. continuously Tues. and Thurs. After discussion, the motion was made, seconded and carried that the librarian be paid at the rate of 2.50 per hr. ($130.00 per month) and that the libary be open 12 hrs. a week. It was voted to ask for an increase of $600 in appropriation ($3000) $200 books $200 salary $200 repairs

Mr. Shepard is going to inquire about indoor outdoor carpeting for the floor.

There will be a meeting in Apr. or May to have election of officers. Mrs Death's term as trustee expires this year and she was reminded to file for reelection.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted
Janice Death Secy.

TAYLOR LIBRARY

Alice C. True, Treasurer

INCOME
January 1967

Balance brought forward		1001.43 — 100
Fines	30.00	
Refunds	23.52	
Town of Derry, appropriation	2400.00	
Trustees of Trust Funds	699.28	
Total		4154.23

EXPENDITURES

Libraian - Salary	1383.86	
Janitor	260.00	
Postage	3.50	
Misc.	31.35	
Supplies	109.42	
Books	652.41	
Lights	88.69	
Oil - Holmes & Wheeler	312.52	
Insurance	232.64	
Repairs	259.53	
Telephone	114.10	
State Treas. of New Hamp. FICA Tax	69.52	
Trustees of Trust Funds	111.69	
Error in Trust Funds	**********	**********
		3551.56
Total		
Balance on Hand December 31, 1967		602.67

Trustees- (1968)
Mr. Alan B. Shepherd, Sr. - 1969
Mr. Burton Varney - 1970
Mrs. Alice True - 1971
Mr. Paul Brickett - 1972
Mrs. Martha Moore - 1973

April 9, 1968

Trustees present:

Mr. Varney — Mr. Brickett — Mrs. Varney, Lib.

Mr. Shepherd — Mrs. Moore

The meeting of the trustees was called to order at 8:15 P.M.

The Secretary's report of the January meeting was read and accepted.

The Treasurer's report as printed in the Town Report was accepted.

Mr. Shepherd moved that the following slate of officers be elected for the ensuing year: Paul Brickett, Pres.; Alice True, Treas.; Martha Moore, Sec.; Ruth Varney, Librarian.

Motion carried and officers were elected as listed.

Mrs. Varney read the following communications from the State Library:

1. 1. A notice of their Survey of local Library Policies and Services.

The questionaire about Library Services was filled out by Mr. Shepherd with the aid of the Librarian and the other Trustees. Mr. Varney volunteerd to draw up a list of policies, and Mr. Brickett suggested a June meeting of the Trustees to finalize them. This was approved.

2. A letter regarding the purchase, under Title 4B, of large print books, the Taylor Library to be a depository for them was read and discussed. Mrs.

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Varney said she had filled out and returned the questionaire accompanying the letter and suggested that residents of the Blakey Home might use them also. This was approved.

3. ~~A~~ Letters regarding the issuing of "Honor" Cards, and State Grant in Aid (at or above base 1966) were discussed.

4. A notice from Mr. Bearse, Div. of Economic Development, of the editing and updating of the Federal Writer's Project: New Hampshire; A Guide to the Granite State, by the Houghton-Mifflin Co. was read and discussed. Purchase of a copy was approved.

Following a discussion of the cooperation between local libraries Mr. Varney suggested that possibly each library could concentrate on different areas of reference thus avoiding duplication of purchases and offering a wider range of information in the area selected. Patrons would then be referred to the library having the specific material needed.

Mr. Varney volunteered to obtain information about storm windows.

Notice was given of the dedication, on May 23, of the new flag pole and U. S. Flag given by the Derry V. F. W. Post 1617 Auxiliary in honor of America's first astronaut Alan B. Shepherd, Jr.

Motion was made and carried that meeting adjourn, 9:40 P.M.

Respectfully submitted, M. C. Moore Sec.

May 23, 1968
Trustees met at library for dedication.
Alan B. Shepherd Sr. accepted the gift of flag pole and U. S. Flag on behalf of the Trustees of the Taylor Library.
Resp. submitted,
M.C. Moore
Sec.

See clipping →

PARTICIPANTS IN DEDICATION CEREMONY in East Derry Thursday include Mrs. Leo Gallien of V.F.W. Auxiliary, donor of new flag and pole to the Taylor Library, and behind her Alan B. Shepard, trustee and father of Astronaut Alan Shepard to whom the flag and pole were dedicated.

Dedicate Flag And Pole To Alan Shepard In East Derry

A handsome new flag pole and U.S. flag were dedicated in ceremonies before the Taylor Library in East Derry Thursday in honor of a former Derry boy, Alan B. Shepard Jr. who once carried books for the library when his grandmother was librarian.

The ceremonies were conducted by the Derry V.F.W. Post 1617 Auxiliary, which donated the flag and pole to the Library. Present to accept the gift on behalf of his fellow trustees was Alan B. Shepard Sr., father of the Astronaut. Also present was Mrs. Alan Shepard-who spoke of former days when Alan Jr. helped moved books across the street when the library was moved from its former headquarters in the East Derry Town Hall to its present location across the street.

Also present were members of the Derry Garden Club who landscaped the library with flowers and shrubs this past year. They were joined by members of the library board of Trustees, who through their chairman, Paul Brickett, thanked the V.F.W. Auxiliary and the Garden Club for their gifts.

Officially representing the V.F.W. and the ladies present was Mrs. Leo Gallien, Senior Vice President. Mrs. Shepard, in thanking those present, told the story of when she once met the late Adlai Stevenson and he remarked how good a reader her Astronaut son must be. She said she told him much of the credit belonged back in East Derry to the small library there.

During the ceremonies Mrs. Arthur Smith, representing the V.F.W. Auxiliary read a telegram from the Astronaut that read in part as follows:

"I wish to express my regrets for being unable to attend your dedication. The space program continues to occupy my attention as our activities increase during this summer. I can think of no greater honor than that which you bestow today upon me. May we always be proud of both the heritage and future of our country which the flag so completely symbolizes."

June 20, 1968 Trustees present:
Mr. Varney Mr. Brickett Mrs. Varney (Lib.)
Mr. Shepherd Mrs. Moore (Sec.)

Meeting was called to order at 8:20.
Secretary's report was accepted as read.
In the absence of the Treasurer there was no report.

The meeting was turned over to Mr. Varney who presented a very comprehensive paper dealing with General Library Objectives, Library Services, Book Selection, Public Relations, Use of Library by groups, Cooperation with Other Libraries, Relationship With Schools, Budget, and Gifts and Special Collections. Also a Library Bill of Rights, and Policies concerning Freedom to Read.

Mr. Varney's report was unanimously approved. (A copy was sent to the State Library.)

It was suggested that the Librarian investigate the possibility of using pasteboard files.

It was reported that that Storm Windows would cost $17.00 per window. (Self-storing (price-retail) Storm windows and screens, list price $22.50.) It was voted to have the windows installed.

Meeting adjourned 9:20 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,
Martha C. Moore, Sec.

Jan. 28, 1969

Trustees present:

Mr. Brickett, Pres. Mrs. Moore, Sec.
Mr. Shepherd
Mr. Varney Mrs. Varney, Lib.
Mrs. True, Treas.

Meeting opened at 8:25.
Secretary's report accepted as read.
Treasurer's report accepted as read.
Bal. on hand, Dec. 31, 1969 $1117.28.
Treasurer also presented a report of expenditures for the year. It was estimated that by April 1st actual balance to go over to next year would be about $603.
Following a short discussion it was voted to raise the salary of the librarian to $1800. Other changes were: appropriation for repairs; amount for telephone; increase in F.I.C.A. Total proposed budget for 1968-69 as follows:

Lib. Sal.	$1800.		
Jan. Sal.	260.	Expected Rev. - Bal.	605.
Misc. Post. Sup.	60.	Ins. Div.	33.
Books	800.	Fines -	25.
Lights -	75.	Trust Funds	735.
Oil.	300.		1398 (approx.)
Ins.	200.	Appropriation asked of Town - $3200.	
Repairs	500.		
FICA	100.		
Tel.	125. $4220.		

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It was noted that there was a 10% increase in circulation of books this year. The ~~Secretary~~ Librarian did some research and found that circulation for 1968 was 75% higher than that of 1963.

Mr. Shepherd volunteered to get estimates on wall to wall carpeting for the library rather than refinishing the wood floor.

Mrs. Varney announced the gift of ($20.00) twenty dollars by the book club, for the purchase of books.

Meeting adjourned at 9:45.

Respectfully submitted,
Martha C. Moore
Sec.

Nov. 6, 1969

Trustees present:
Mr. Burton Varney — Mrs. Martha C. Moore (Sec.)
Mr. Alan B. Shepard — Mrs. Ruth Varney (Lib.)

Meeting was called to order by Mr. Varney, Ch. Pro Tem. at 8 P.M.

The Secretary's report was read and accepted.

In accepting Mr. Paul Brickett's resignation it was noted that he had served for 23 many years.

Paul Brickett was appointed in 1946 - Served 23 yrs. Mr. Shepard has served since 1920.

The Board voted to appoint Mr. Grant G. Benson, Jr. to succeed Mr. Brickett whose term expires in 1972.

Mr. Shepard volunteered to make further inquiries regarding carpeting for the Library.

It was voted to apply for the $100 grant-in-aid awarded to Affiliated Libraries by the State Library Commission to enable the Librarian to purchase additional Reference Materials.

Following a general discussion the meeting was adjourned. The next meeting to be held Dec. 4, 8 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,
Martha C. Moore, Sec.

Dec. 2, 1969

Trustees pres:
Burton Varney
Alan B. Shepard Jr.
Alice True
Grant Benson Jr.
Martha Moore
Ruth Varney, Lib.

Meeting opened by Mr. Shepard who made a motion that Mr. Varney be elected Chairman of Board. Motion approved.

Mr. Shepard reported that the Granite State Linoleum Co. offered the following bid for carpeting the Library:

Children's section -	$225.00
Hall & Area of Lib. desk -	190.00
Adult section —	196.00
Total	$611.00

The Co. also stated that if all sections were done at once cost would be $600.00. After some discussion Mr. Benson suggested that bids be obtained from Mr. Shudy's company. This was agreed to by the board.

The 1970 budget was discussed and the following figures were approved:

Librarian —	$2000.00		
Janitor —	300.00	Total	$4435.00
Fuel oil —	400.00	Less Trust Fund —	735.00
Electricity —	75.00		$3700.00
Telephone —	135.00		
Books —	800.00	Amount to be re-	
Supplies —	75.00	quested from Town	
Insurance —	200.00	$3700.00	
Repairs —	350.00		
F.I.C.A —	100.00		
Total	4435.00		

The Treasurer agreed to submit these figures to the Town Office, to be included in the budget.

It was agreed that Mr. Benson would ~~serve~~ act with Mr. Shepard on the matter of repairs.

Mr. Varney reminded the Trustees that according to the By-Laws they must hold a meeting "as soon as practicable" following Town Meeting. Unless the need arises the next meeting will be then.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:30 by Mr. Varney.

Respectfully submitted,
Martha C. Moore, Clerk.

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March 24, 1970

Trustees Present

Burton Varney Pres.
Alan Shepard
Grant Benson Jr.
Martha Moore Sec.
Ruth Varney, Lib.

Meeting was opened by Mr. Varney, Pres. Secretary's report was read and approved.

Treasurer's report omitted.

Mr. Shepard reported that Mr. Sheedy's bid for carpeting the library was accepted and the carpeting was completed. Mr. Sheedy also agreed to keep enough of the same material on hand for two years so that replacements could be made if needed. Many compliments have been received from the library patrons.

Mr. Shepard said that the original agreement for water was made with Geo. Varney, and Mr. Norman Francis continued the agreement as present owner of the well.

Mr. Benson reported that the Budget Com. agreed to raise the figure requested in our budget to $4000 to cover cost of new water pump. It was voted to write to the Church requesting that they assume one-half the cost of the new pump. Motion carried.

Under new business Mr. Shepard moved that the present slate of officers be retained during 1970. Motion carried.

Letter was read from Mr. Allen, State Librarian requesting statement of book expenditures for 1969, also base expenditures for 1966. Mrs. Varney agreed to take care of this.

Mr. Warren Garland, Insurance Rep. discussed our present coverage by insurance. It was agreed to raise the present coverage as follows:

Building - $25,000 to $35,000
Contents — $10,000 to $15,000
Liability — unchanged $100,000
Med. fees — $500 to $1,000
Estimated increase in premium per year $89.00
Present premium $221 minus $33.10 dividend.

Meeting adjourned at 9:30

Respectfully submitted,
Martha C. Moore, Sec.

Officers elected: Mr. Burton Varney, Pres.
Mrs. Martha C. Moore, Sec.
Mrs. Alice True, Treas.
Mrs. Ruth Varney, Librarian

Trustees
Present

Burton Varney Ch.
Alice True Treas.
Grant Benson Jr.
Alan B. Shepard

Ruth Varney Lib.

Jan. 21, 1971

The meeting was called to order by the Ch. Burton Varney. Treas. report was read. In the absence of the Sec. a Sec. Pro. Tem was appointed.

The budget for the coming year was discussed. It was decided to ask the town for $4500, this amount to cover all expenses and repairs; storm windows (12); check brick work; and outside painting. All repairs and windows not to exceed $500.

Respectfully submitted,
Ruth Varney Sec. Pro Tem

Taylor Library
1970

Income	
Balance brt. forward	802.89
Town of Derry Appropriation	4000.00
Fines	40.95
Book refunds & donations	7.54
State of New Hamp. (Refer. Mat. only)	100.00
State of New Hampshire	100.00
Trutees of the Trust Funds	
	5051.38

Expenditures	
Librarian	2000.00
Janitor	300.00
State of New Hampshire F.I.C.A.	110.40
Telephone	133.70
Misc.	12.03
Supplies - Library Tools	96.67
Books & Magazihee	756.73
Lights	71.00
Oil - Holmes & Wheeler	427.86
Insurance	296.85
Repairs	211.00
Postage	4.28
	4420.52

March 25, 1971

Trustees for 1971:

Grant Benson Jr. - 1972
Burton A. Varney - 1973
Barbara Schurman - 1973
Martha C. Moore 1974
Alan B. Shepard Sr. '74
Annabelle Hastings 1974

Trustees Pres.
Burton Varney
Barbara Schur.
Grant Benson Jr.
Annabelle Hastings
Martha C. Moore
—
Ruth Varney, Lib.

Meeting opened by Chairman Burton Varney.
Secretary's report read and accepted.
In the absence of ~~the~~ a treasurer, this report was omitted.
Election of officers for the ensuing year was held with Burton Varney reelected as Ch.
Martha Moore reelected as Sec.
Barbara Schurman elected Treas.
Under new business;
The gift of a collection of P.A. Catalogs and Critics circa-1903 - 1938 was accepted, ~~from~~ and the Sec. was instructed to write a note of thanks to Mr. Howard Corson.
Repairs were discussed and it was decided to invite bids on painting outside trim first. Mr. Benson will investigate.
Meeting closed at 9 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,
Martha C. Moore Sec.

January 6, 1972

Trustees present
Burton Varney
Grant Benson
Annabelle Hastings
Martha Moore
Ruth Varney-Lib.

Meeting opened by Chairman, Burton Varney.

Reports of the Secretary and Treasurer were accepted as read.

Annual Report of Treasurer was accepted.

Discussion of the Budget followed, with the following budget proposed for 1972:

Librarian - salary	$2110.00	(110.00)
Janitor — salary	316.50	(16.50)
F.I.C.A. - Treas. State of N.H.	126.00	(6.40)
Telephone -	150.00	(14.20)
Electricity -	75.00	(6.80)
Heat	318.00	(-13¢)
Insurance	280.50	
Magazines	145.00	
Books	1000.00	(-50.55)
Library "tools"	120.00	(1.50)
Supplies	100.00	(3.57)
Repairs	350.00	(-55¢)
State Library Asso. Dues	4.00	
	$5095.00	

Increase in first three items due to increase in State and Federal charges.

It was ~~voted~~ suggested to have Richard True inspect building for termite damage. Also to consult Holmes & Wheeler concerning Fuel Oil Contract. Meeting adjourned 9:10.

Respectfully submitted M. C. Moore, Sec.

April 27, 1972

Trustees present

Burton Varney
Grant Benson
Barbara Schurman
Annable Hastings
Martha Moore
Ruth Varney Lib.

Meeting was opened by Chairman Burton Varney.

Secretary's report was accepted as stated.

The following officers were elected for 1972: Burton Varney, Ch.; Barbara Schurman, Treas.; Martha Moore, Sec.

Mr. Varney reported that there were no termites, but that the woodwork ~~around~~ at the base of the front door frame might need replacing due to dampness, also some pointing of bricks, and the fence needed re-painting. It was voted to have Mr. Varney call Mr. True to take care of building repairs and covering cellar windows with Hardware Cloth. Mr. Benson agreed to find someone to paint the fence.

It was voted to ask the Librarian to look for a reconditioned typewriter for the Library at a cost not to exceed fifty dollars.

Mr. Benson volunteered to talk with Mr. Carson about the Library furnace, with regard to its continued use.

It was also voted to have winter covers built for the shrubbery since there has been some damage due to heavy snow.

Meting adjourned at 9 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,
Martha Moore, Sec.

Dec. 26, 1972

Meeting opened by Chairman, Burton Varney. Trustees present; Burton Varney; Barbara Schurman (Treas.); Martha Moore (Sec.); Annable Hastings; and Grant Benson, Jr. Also Ruth Varney, Librarian.

The budget for 1973 was discussed. It was voted to request a total of $4,500, including the following special items:

1. $200 for purchase of a Book Drop and a permanent base for same, to be placed near the front steps.

2. $150 for purchase of standard typewriter for the librarian's use.

3. 5.5 increase in salaries of librarian and custodian.

4. Necessary repairs to building and grounds: A fence; Hardware Cloth covering cellar windows; Replacing base of front door frame and sill; pointing of some bricks; Winter covers for Shrubbery.

Mr. Benson agreed to submit estimated budget to Budget Committee.

Meeting was closed at 9:10 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Martha C. Moore
Sec.

March 15, 1973

The Annual meeting of the Taylor Library Trustees was held at the Library with the following Trustees present: Grant Benson, Jr.; Barbara Schurman; Annabell Hastings; Linda MacDonald; Kenneth Davis; Martha Moore; and the Librarian, Ruth Varney.

The meeting was opened by Martha Moore acting as Chairman pro tem.

The Secretary's report was read and accepted.

$1319.95 The Treasurer's report was read and accepted. It was noted the Budget had been increased by $400.00. Making a total of $4900.00.

$ Budget $400 increase $200 increase was due to an error in printing the report, and $200 voted by the voters following the motion of Mrs. Norma Sabella at the Town Meeting. No decision was made as to the disposition of the $400.00.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows; Grant Benson, Jr. - Chairman; Treasurer; Barbara Schurman; Secretary, Martha Moore.

Officers.

The new Book Drop has been delivered and Treas reported the payment of $145.27 leaving $54.73 of the $200 estimate to pay for its installation.

The chairmain agreed to contact Mr. True concerning the repairs voted at the Dec. meeting. Mr. True all ready has the list, having gone over the building with Mr. Varney.

Because of a recent unlawful entry into the Library it was voted to change the locks on both doors. The Chairman will notify Mr. Olesen, Custodian and call Mr. Roscoe Wilbur Locksmith.

Mr. Benson suggested Mrs. Varney get in touch with Mr. Fagerberg, typewriter dealer, about the new typewriter voted at Dec. meeting.

Mr. Davis gave each member a copy of his resolution requiring that each Town Department have a representative at the Budget meeting if they are requesting an increase in their budget. Resolution was passed.

Copies of "Library Objectives", drawn up by the Trustees, were distributed by the Secretary. These objectives are on file at State Library Commission's Office. It ~~contains~~ includes not only our Objectives, but those of the Council of the American Library Association, and their "Freedom to Read" statements.

It was voted to have the sign in front of the library repaired.

It was suggested that the lettering over the front door be lettered in black paint.

Mr. Davis volunteered to talk with Mr. Blanchard of the Highway Dept. about removal of the No Parking sign in front of the Library.

After a general discussion meeting was adjourned at 8:50 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

May 17, 1973

Trustees –
Ch. Grant Benson
Barbara Schurman
Annabell Hastings
Linda MacDonald
Kenneth Davis
Martha Moore
Lib:
Ruth Varney.

The Chairman of the Board, Mr. Benson opened the meeting.

The Sec. report was read and accepted.

The Treas. reported a balance on hand of $2011.44. The Treas. reported that a new typewriter had been purchased from Mr. Fagerberg at a cost of $115.00.

Mr. Davis inquired about 5.5 percent increase in the salaries of the Librarian and Custodians, as planned for ~~in~~ at the Dec. 26th, 1972 budget meeting. Mrs. Schurman explained.

It was agreed that the Treas. should have a petty cash account of five dollars ($5.00)

It was suggested that the Book Drop be turned, if possible so the door would face the walk.

After some discussion of a Parking Area, Kenneth Davis moved that: Mr. Blanchard, (Road Agent), be authorized to complete plan discussed with reference to filling and leveling area in front, ~~and~~ in alignment with area in front of Church. Motion seconded by Linda MacDonald. Motion was defeated 4 to 1 with Mrs. MacDonald abstaining.

The Secretary was instructed to inform Mr. Blanchard and Selectmen that the Trustees had so voted.

Mr. Benson reported on letter from East Derry Fire Chief. It was voted to

carry out Rec. 1 - Fire Extinguishers -
2. Have asbestos sealing mixture applied to wires BX leading from fuse panel to first floor.

It was voted not to carry out the remainder of Rec. 2, 3 and 4.

Mr. Benson reported that he had carried out 2 oral recomendations; i.e. removal of scrap paper and cord from attic. The Secretary was instructed to so inform Chief Reynolds.

It was voted to have Mr. True put in a "dead bolt" lock on back door.

Reports on Hot Water Heater as follows: Public Service, $115. for ~~heat~~ tank 40gal. plumbing and electrical fees not included; Holmes & Wheeler, approx. $200. not including wiring; Richard Reynolds, $120.00 including plumbing and wiring.

Kenneth Davis moved that we have Mr. Reynolds install H.W. heater. Motion seconded by Linda MacDonld. So voted.

Mr. Davis moved that: So that the affairs of the Taylor Library can be conducted on a business-like basis, and in accordance with a regular time-schedule I move that the Board of Trustees meet at 8 P.M. on the 3rd Thurs. of every 3rd month as follows: March, June, Sept., & Dec. a total of at least 4 mutings in each calendar years, with Special

Meetings called whenever advisable.
Motion seconded by Grant Benson, Jr.
Motion carried unanimously.

Motion made by Annabell Hastings and seconded by Barbara Schurman that the Chairman be authorized to take care of any Maintainance problems arising between meetings.
Motion carried.

Meeting closed at 9:25 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,
Martha C. Moore, Sec.

Trustees
Ch. Grant Benson Jr.
Tr. Barbara Schurman
Sec. Martha Moore
Linda MacDonald
Annabel Hastings
Kenneth Davis

June 21, 1973

June meeting of the Trustees was opened by Ch. Grant Benson, Jr.

The Secretary's report was read and accepted.

The Treasurer reported a balance on hand of $1776.90.

— Under old business the following items were reported on:

1. Hot Water Heater installed and in use.

2. Book Drop turned so door opens on walk, and in use.

3. Work has been begun on the fence and back door lock.

4. Asbestos sealing compound has not been applied.

— Under new business Mr. Benson, at Mr. Davis' request, read a letter from Mr. Davis, concerning a discussion between Mr. Davis and Mr. Norman Francis relative to physical changes in the Library's surroundings. In his letter Mr. Davis quoted Mr. Francis as saying that he would cut off the Library's water supply if any changes were made.

Because of this Mr. Davis made the motion that the Library take steps to dig a well of its own. During discussion of Mr. Davis' motion Mr

Benson stated that he had spoken to Selectman Tompkins about a well and Mr. Tompkins said it could not be even considered until Jan., 1974. Motion was defeated by a vote of 5 noes to 1 yes.

The motion was made that when there was no new business to be brought before the Board that the Chairman could cancel a meeting. Motion carried 4 to 1, Mr. Benson abstaining.

Meeting adjourned at 9 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Martha C. Moore
Secretary.

Sept. 20, 1973

Trustees present:
Grant Benson, Jr., Ch.
Barbara Schurman, Treas.
Martha Moore, Sec.
Linda MacDonald
Ann Hastings
Kenneth Davis
Librarian:
Ruth Varney

Meeting opened by Ch. Grant Benson Jr.

Treas. reported balance on hand: $1719.59.; also reported on bills paid since June 21st meeting. Report accepted as read.

Sec.'s report was read and accepted.

Old Business:

1. Reported clock installed.

2. Back door lock, ~~and~~ fence and flag pole completed.

Uncompleted: repairing front door frame and painting front door; basement window screens; covers for shrubbery; sealing of wires in basement; and repairing, repainting and resetting front sign.

New Business:

1. It was agreed that purchases under $100 might be made between meetings with the approval of trustees.

2. It was decided that the sign would be lettered on both sides and reset at an angle to permit reading it by both East + West traffic.

3. Delegate, Mrs. Moore reported on the Sept. 13th meeting of the So. Eastern Advisory Council, concerning cooperative buying by 2 or more libraries.

4. Mr. Davis read a letter from Mrs.

Norma Sabella suggesting the installation of a bicycle rack in front of the Library, and plans for the Library's participation in the National Bicentennial in 1976.

Mrs. Scherman moved that the Trustees investigate the purchase of a rack. Motion approved.

Mrs. MacDonald moved that consideration of the Bicentennial be tabled until the next meeting when she will report on a workshop being held for this purpose in Nov. This was approved.

Mr. Davis mentioned the 100th anniversary of Taylor Library in 1976.

5. The Secretary was instructed to write a letter of thanks to Mrs. Sabella.

6. It was voted to advance the Dec. meeting to Nov. 29.

7. Mr. Davis presented a summary of the report of the Library Trust Funds for 1972, as printed in the Town Report. He suggested that the Trustees might wish to learn more about them. Mrs. Scherman gave an up-to-date report on them. It was decided that any Trustee who wished might study them "on his own."

8. Mr. Benson read a letter from Mr. Davis concerning circulation and made some suggestions for same.

9. Mr. Davis spoke of writing a biweekly

column in the Derry News similar to the column being written by Mrs. Sabella about books, ~~and~~ information and service material, offered by the Derry Public Library. After some discussion this was approved with the proviso that no mention be made of the business discussions carried on during the meetings.

Respectfully submitted
Martha C. Moore, Sec.

Nov. 29, 1973

Trustees-
G. Benson Jr. Ch.
B. Schurman Tr.
M. Moore Sec.
L. McDonald
A. Hastings
K. Davis

Meeting of Taylor Library Trustees was opened by Ch. Grant Benson, Jr.

Secretary's report was read and accepted.

Treasurer's report was read, Mrs. Schurman reporting a balance on hand of $989.75. Report was accepted.

Chairman Benson announced that in case of the absence of the Sec. he was appointing Mrs. Hastings as Sec. Pro Tem. Mrs. Hastings accepted.

Under Old Business:

1. Ch. Benson reported that a 9 place steel bicycle rack could be purchased for ($90) Ninety dollars plus f.o.b. charges. After discussion Mrs. Moore moved that this rack be purchased. Motion carried.

2. Mrs. McDonald reported that no decision was reached at the State meeting regarding N.H. Libraries' participation in the observance of the Nat'l. Bicentennial. She said it was possible that it would be considered at the Spring Workshop. She agreed to report then on any plans.

3. Mr. True's bill for: repairing and painting fence; flagpole; front door; installing book-drop; installing new lock for back door; hardware mesh covering on basement windows; covers for shrubbery; and repairing, repaint-

ing, relettering and reinstalling of outdoor Library sign; was presented and approved. Amount $

Under New Business:

1. The budget discussion was opened by Ch. Benson. Mr. Davis read a letter (written by himself) in which he proposed that the budget be cut to less than the ~~$4500~~ $4900 ~~requested~~ received for 1973. He suggested that this could be done by not increasing the Librarian's salary the 5.5% other town employees will receive. Also that the scheduled increase in Trust Fund income would take care of any increase in the cost of Fuel Oil, and the 5.5% increase in the custodian's salary. After some discussion it was voted to increase the Librarian's salary 5.5%. Vote was 5 to 1.

amended by vote to read $4900. instead of $4500.

2. After further discussion the following budget was ~~a~~ adopted:

Librarian's salary	$ 2348.50
Custodian's salary	348.50
FICA Treas. State of N.H.	150.00
Telephone	150.00
Electricity	90.00
Heat	650.00
Insurance	280.50
Magazines	180.00
Books	1000.00

Library Tools	120.00
Supplies	110.00
Repairs	200.00
St. Lib. Ass. dues	4.00
Postage	10.00
Total	$5641.50

3. Mrs. Moore moved that the fireplace chimney be checked in case there ~~was~~ is a need for its use. Motion carried. Mr. Benson agreed to find someone to do this.

Meeting closed at 9:45 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,
Martha C. Moore, Sec.

Dec. 6, 1974

A special meeting of the Taylor Library Board of Trustees was held at the Library. Ch. Grant Benson, Jr. presiding. Trustees present: Ann Hastings; Grant Benson, Jr. Ch.; Kenneth Davis and Martha Moore, Sec.

The meeting was called to review the proposed 1974 Library budget ~~and~~ as presented and adopted by a 5 to 1 vote at the Nov. 29th meeting.

During the discussion Mr. Davis proposed that the items dealing with purchases of books and fuel oil be reduced.

The budget as proposed at the Nov. 29th meeting was ~~adopted~~ approved by a vote of 4 yes to 1 no, Mrs. McDonald voting yes by absentee vote.

Respectfully submitted,

Martha C. Moore, Sec.

March 19, 1974

Trustees
Grant Benson Ch.
Barbara Schurman Treas
Martha Moore, Sec.
Linda MacDonald
Ann Hastings
Kenneth Davis

The Annual meeting of the Taylor Library Trustees was held at the Library, Ch. Grant Benson Jr. presiding.

Prior to the opening of the business meeting Mrs. Ruth Varney inquired about ~~a~~ a set of Children's Books donated to the Library by Mrs. Jo Graetz last November. Mr. Davis said he had the books and was holding them until a special rack ~~he~~ had ordered arrived.

Mr. Benson welcomed Mrs. Rosalie Davis and Mr. Robert Hastings to the meeting.

The Sec. report of the Dec. 6th meeting was read and accepted.

Mr. Davis requested that the Sec.'s report of Nov. 29, 1973, Paragraph 1. under New Business be amended to read $4,900 instead of $4,500. So voted and change was ~~entered~~ noted in margin of report.

Custodian $358.94
Librarian $2392.95

Ch. Benson announced that a salary raise of 7.5% for Town Employees was official and would become effective April 1, 1974. It was voted unanimously to approve of this change in the Library Budget.

Treasurer reported a balance on hand of $402.37. Her report was accepted as read.

Old Business

1. Ch. Benson reported that the bicycle rack had arrived and it was voted to place the rack inside the fence on the East side of the walk allowing suffecient space between rack and fence to avoid damage to the fence.

2. Mr. Benson agreed to talk to Mr. True about fixing front door lock and painting.

3. Mr. Benson reported the fireplace chimney had been checked and was ready to use. Mrs. MacDonald suggested that Mr. Pat Frost made fireplace screens.

4. Mr. Benson stated that in "... no way will the Open letter to Mr. Davis, printed in the Derry News of Feb. 28th, 1974 be brought up at this meeting." He requested that this be included in the Sec.'s report.

New Business

1. The following slate of officers for the ensuing year was elected:

Mr. Grant Benson Jr., Ch.
Mrs. Barbara Scherman, Treas.
Mrs. Martha Moore, Sec.

2. Mr. Davis moved that Mrs. Linda D. MacDonald be elected Asst. Sec. Motion carried.

4 Lib. days each - $96.00

3. Mrs. Hastings proposed that the Librarian, Mrs. Ruth Varney be granted paid vacations and sick leave.

Mr. Benson moved that the above

proposal be passed, and the substitute be paid $2.00 an hour. Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned a 9:00 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Martha C. Moore, Sec.

Nov. 21, 1974

The meeting of the Trustees of the Taylor Library was opened by the Ch. Grant Benson, Jr. Those present included: Grant Benson, Jr. Ch.; Martha C. Moore, Sec.; Linda MacDonald, Treas. Pro Tem; Annabell Hastings; Kenneth Davis; Mrs. Ruth Varney, Librarian.

Secretary's report was read and approved.

Treasurer reported $1013.40 on hand. Report approved.

It was reported that Income from Trust Funds is paid in the Spring.

Mr. Benson moved that Mrs. MacDonald be elected to serve as Asst. Treasurer in Mrs. Scherman's absence. Motion seconded by Mrs. Hastings. Motion carried.

Old Business:

1. Mr. Benson reported that Mr. True would do outside painting next summer.

(Old Business Con't.)
2. It was agrued that the Sec. write a letter of appreciation to Mrs. Mel True and Cub Scout Pack 405 for planting border along outside of Library fence.
3. Notice was given that Mr. Davis attend the State Library meeting concerning the 1975 Bicentennial Celebration and report to the board on any action taken.
New Business:
1. It was agreed that Mrs. MacDonald obtain needed postage from the Librarian.
2. It was decided to plan the 1975 budget after Dec. 31, 1974.
3. Mr. Davis reviewed the 1973 Library Book Report and asked about the disposition of discarded books. Mrs. Varney explained that they were collected by the Boy Scouts for redistribution and/or paper recycling.
4. Attention was called to a Restoration service performed by the New England Document Conservation Center.
5. Mrs. Moore moved that Mrs. Hastings replace Mrs. MacDonald as Asst. Sec. during Mrs. Schurman's absence. Motion carried.

6. Mr. Davis asked if Mr. Carlton, Town Manager shouldn't be invited to attend the 1975 Budget meeting. It was decided not to extend an invitation at this time.

Meeting adjourned at 9 P. M.

Respectfully submitted,
Martha C. Moore, Sec.

Jan. 14, 1975

The Trustee of Taylor Library met but as a quorum of trustees were not present another meeting will be held to approve the proposed budget.

Those present were Grant Benson Jr, Chairman, Linda MacDonald Asst Treasurer, Annabell Hastings Asst. Sec. and Ruth Varney Librarian.

Secretary's report was read and accepted.

Treasurer reported $1360.47 on hand. Report approved. 1052.93

New Business:- Mrs Shepard called Mrs Varney stating the U. S. Flag should be raised every day or at least those days the library is opened. Mr Benson will speak to Mr Pearson at the Post Office for more information.

Mrs Varney asked if a reconditioned adding machine could be purchased for the use of the Librarian and Treasurer. She can get one for around Fifty Dollars. It was approved

The budget was discussed and approved by those present

Librarians Salary	2490.00
Substitute Salary	101.00
Custodian's Salary	380.00
F.I.C.A.	180.00
Heat	650.00
Telephone	165.00
Electricity	180.00
Books	1100.00
Library Tools	225.00
Magazines	180.00
Library Supplies	100.00
Insurance	275.00
Repairs and Upkeep	200.00
Legal Fees	
N.H. Library Assoc. Dues	20.00
Miscellaneous	30.00
Treas. expenses	12.00
	6288.00

It was proposed to appropiate $5400.00 from the Town of Derry.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:30PM

Respectfully submitted
Annabell G Hastings Asst Sec.

Jan. 27, 1975

The Taylor Library Trustee's met at 10:30 AM at Benson's store with Chairman Grant Benson, Assistant Treasure Linda MacDonald Kenneth Davis and Assistant Secretary Annabell Hastings present.

Secretary's Report read and accepted after correction.

Treasurer reported $581.46 on hand. Report approved.

Chairman Benson made a motion to sign agreement on Semi-Annual payment of Trust Funds payable June 15 and Dec. 15. Seconded by Kenneth Davis; approved.

Discussion on the budget followed.

A motion was made by Mrs Hastings and seconded by Mrs MacDonald to ask the town to appropriate $5400.00. Motion not passed.

A motion was made by Mr Benson, seconded by Mrs MacDonald to appropriate $5000.00. No action taken.

Mr Davis made a motion, seconded by Mr Benson to appropriate $4900; not passed. Mr Benson then made a motion seconded by Mrs MacDonald to appropriate $5000. It passed 3 yea 1 nay.

The meeting adjourned 11:35 AM.

Respectfully submitted
Annabell G Hastings, Asst. Sec.

Apr. 24, 1975

The meeting of the Taylor Library Trustees was opened by the Chairman, Grant Benson, Jr. Trustees present: Grant Benson, Jr.; Linda MacDonald; Annabell Hastings; Kenneth Davis; Glenn Allen; Martha Moore.

Mr. Glenn Allen's nomination to complete the unexpired term (to Mar., 1976) was unanimously approved. Mr. Davis presented Mr. Allen with his N. H. Lib. Trustees Ass. membership card.

The Secretary's report was read and accepted.

The Treasurer reported a balance on hand of $230.66. Treas. also reported that a request had been forwarded to the town for $1500. Report accepted.

Mrs. Moore volunteered to ask Mr. Pearson about the Library flag. It was suggested that the flag be displayed all the time.

The appearance of the yard was discussed, and Mr. Allen agreed to ~~to~~ talk with the Boys' Club leader about taking care of the yard.

Mr. Davis opened the discussion of insulation for the building. It was decided to ask Mr. True to measure footage of ceilings and present an estimate of the possible cost of insulating them.

Mrs. Hastings suggested that the Trustees consider doing something in memory of former Trustees Alan B. Shepard and Barbara G. Schurman. No action was taken.

The following officers for 1975-76 were elected: Chr. Grant Benson, Jr.; Treas., Linda MacDonald; Sec., Martha Moore.

Mr. Davis suggested that the Treasurer's books be audited. Following discussion it was decided that Mrs. MacDonald take books to Kenneth Hartman to be audited.

Mrs. Hastings moved that payments due the Treas. be paid directly to the Treas. Motion seconded by Mr. Benson. Motion approved.

After discussion of Bicentennial observance it was decided to refer the matter to Mrs. Varney.

Mr. Davis moved that meeting be adjourned. 9:30 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,
Martha C. Moore, Sec.

Oct. 30, 1975

The Oct. meeting of the Taylor Library Trustees was opened by the Ch., Grant Benson Jr. Trustees present: Glenn Allen; Kenneth Davis; Grant Benson Jr.; Annabell Hastings; Martha Moore; and ~~Mr~~ Ruth Varney, Librarian.

Secretary's report read and accepted. Also noted was forwarding to Town Manager Frank Carlton of Notice of unanimous election of Glenn Allen to the Board of Trustees.

Glenn Allen, Treas. Pro Tem., reported a balance on hand of $1165.90. At Mr. Davis' request Mr. Allen reported receipt of $485.38 from Treas. of Trust Funds and deposit of same in bank on June 30, 1975.

Mrs. Varney reported on Taylor Library's participation in Town's Bicentennial Observance. The Library will be a point of Historical Interest on the tours being planned by the Committee. Mrs. Varney has been assisting the Committee in the research of places and persons ~~&~~ concerned with local History.

Mr. Allen and Mrs. Hastings reported on display of flag by the Boy Scouts.

Mr. Benson reported that an estimated 1000 sq. ft. of insulation would be needed for ceilings. Estimated cost of material & labor $200. Mr. Benson moved ~~to~~ that Mr. R.P. True be instructed to proceed with insulation. Motion seconded by Mrs. Hastings. Motion carried.

Mr. Davis commented on the recently issued copy of 1974 report on Trust ~~&~~ Funds in particular the Library Funds.

After discussion the subject of Memorials for Mr. Shepard and Mrs. Schurman was tabled until the Jan. 8, 1976 meeting.

Mr. Benson moved that meeting adjourn. Time 9:15 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,
Martha C. Moore, Sec.

Jan. 12, 1976

The January meeting of the Taylor Library Trustees was opened by the Chairman Grant Benson, Jr.

Trustees present: Grant Benson, Jr.; Kenneth Davis; Annabell Hastings; Linda MacDonald; Grant Benson, Jr.

The Secretary's report was read and approved.

Mr. Davis inquired about the progress of the audit of the Treasurer's books. Mr. Benson reported the Audit completed for 1974.

Mr. Benson, in the absence of the Treasurer, reported a balance of $1992.37 on the checkbook. Estimated bills outstanding $260.00, estimated balance $1732.37. Report accepted.

Mr. Davis reported on his analysis of Library Trust Funds, noting that certain investments should be changed at maturity in 1980. He also mentioned a plan under discussion

by which Town Trust Funds would be transferred to the Trust Dept. of a bank for professional handling. He emphasized that this was still in the planning stage.

Mr. Davis suggested that a list of the names of the seven donors of individual Trust Funds for the Taylor Library be framed and hung in a prominent place in the Library.

Mr. Benson moved that Mr. Davis be authorized to do this. Motion seconded by Mrs. Hastings. Motion approved.

Mr. Benson presented a proposed estimated Budget for 1976, as follows:

Librarian's salary	$2657.00
Sub. Librarian	107.00
Custodian	408.00
FICA	152.00
Heating	659.00
Telephone	165.00
Electricity	180.00
Books	1100.00
Library Tools	200.00
Library Supplies	100.00
Magazines	180.00
Insurance	275.00
Repairs & Upkeep	200.00
N.H. Lib. Ass. Dues	20.00
Misc. and Legal Fees	30.00
Treas.' Expenses	20.00
	6474.00

This estimated budget will be presented to the Town Manager.

Mrs. Moore moved that the board request $5200.00 from the town, noting that this would cover the costs of a new vacuum, cleaning the Library interior, and other changes in the lights. Motion denied.

Mr. Davis moved that the appropriation be $5000.00.

Mr. Benson moved that the appropriation be $5100.00. Motion approved.

Mrs. Moore moved that the Board purchase a Hoover canister type vacuum, Model #2120, costing $59.95. Motion approved.

Mrs. MacDonald suggested that the rug be shampooed following general cleaning. This was approved.

Mr. Benson moved that Mrs. MacDonald resume the position of Treas. Motion approved.

Meeting adjourned 8:35 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Martha C. Moore, Sec.

Apr. 27, 1976

Meeting was opened by Chairman Grant Benson, Jr.

Secretary's report was read and approved.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: Chairman, Grant Benson, Jr.; Secretary, Martha C. Moore.

Since Mrs. Linda MacDonald declined to continue in the office of Treasurer, Mr. Benson agreed to serve as Treas., Pro Tem, until some agreement could be reached.

It was reported that Jerry Allen, Boy Scout, was taking care of raising and lowering the library flag.

Mrs. Varney reported that neighbors had requested that the Trustees join with them in an effort to persuade Mr. Perrault, owner of the East Derry Store, to cover his refuse bins more securely. Mr. Benson agreed to do this.

It was decided to ask Mr. Eddie Holmes about cleaning the woodwork inside the library. Also to more clearly define Mr. Olsen's duties as Custodian.

Meeting closed at 9:20.

Respectfully submitted,
Martha C. Moore, Sec.

At the Town Meeting on Mar. , 1976 - Glen Allen was re-elected to succeed himself. William Browne was elected, succeeding Kenneth Davis.

Sept. 9, 1976

Trustees present:
Grant Benson Jr.
Wm. Browne
Annabell Hastings
Martha Moore
Glenn Allen
Librarian;
Ruth Varney

The Fall meeting of the Taylor Library Trustees, was opened by Ch. Grant Benson Jr. at 8 P.M.

Secretary's report read approved.

Treasurer reported a balance on hand of $934.00. Report was approved. Mr. Benson brought up-to-date his report, dated July 31, 1976.

Under Old Business Mr. Benson reported that:

1. Mr. Olesen had been contacted and his duties reviewed. Rugs have been shampooed; chandeliers polished; paint is being washed.

2. Mr. Perrault has agreed to keep covers down on the trash containers.

3. An electrical strip has been added in work room to permit use of more than one piece of electrical equipment.

4. Purchase of a small refrigerator. This was paid for by monies received from sale of discarded books.

5. Shrubs in front of bldg. pruned and litter hauled away.

6. New lock installed in Book Drop.

Under New Business:

1. It was decided to have Mr. True repair fence. Mr. Browne volunteered to do the "touch-up" painting.

2. It was decided to wait for Mr. Holm to estimate cost of: painting front door; spot painting entrance woodwork; and painting Library interior.

3. Draw up schedule for Custodian.

Mr. Browne moved that a vote of thanks be extended to Mr. Benson for ~~a~~ his comprehensive report. Motion seconded by Mrs. Moore. Motion carried.

Mrs. Hastings opened discussion of memorials for Mr. Shepard and Mrs. Scherman. It was decided not to establish memorials.

Mr. Benson stated he was investigating the possibility of installing a fan to increase heat in ~~Mrs.~~ the Librarian's work room.

Meeting adjourned at 9 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,
Martha C. Moore, Sec.

Taylor Library Budget

Income	Proposed	Actual	Proposed	Actual
Bal. Bght. Fwd.	1718.04	1718.04	1506.27	1506.27
Town of Derry Appro.	5100.00	5300.00	6000.00	
Trust. Trust Funds	980.00	984.40	3300.00 980.00	
Fines	20.00	11.50	20.00	
Gifts, Refunds, Lost Books	—	290.20	—	
	7818.04	8304.14	11806.27	
Expenses				
Lib. Salary	2687.00	2646.57	2805.00	
Subst. Salary	109.00	110.40	110.00	
Cust. Salary	410.00	410.40	435.00	
F.I.C.A.	181.00	185.25	196.00	
Heat	650.00	639.67	740.00	
Telephone	165.00	175.42	190.00	
Electricity	180.00	160.77	180.00	
Books Purch.	1100.00	1180.57	1100.00	
Library Tools	200.00	392.64	200.00	
Library Supplies	100.00	37.70	100.00	
Magazine Subsc.	210.00	179.85	220.00	
Insurance	275.00	244.40	250.00	
Repairs & Upkeep	400.00	405.07	400.00	
N.H.Lib. Asso. Dues	20.00	21.00	25.00	
Legal Fees & Misc Exp.	30.00	6.27	30.00	
Treas. Exp.	20.00	1.89	10.00	
	6737.00	6797.87	6991.00	

Jan. 4, 1977

The January meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Taylor Library opened at 8 P.M. by Chairman Grant Benson Jr.

Trustees present:

Linda MacDonald — Annabell Hastings
Martha Moore — Grant Benson Jr.
William Browne — Glenn Allen
and Ruth Varney, Librarian.

Secretary's report read and approved.

Treasurer reported balance on hand of $1506.27. Report approved.

Mr. Benson presented the proposed budget for 1977-78. (see preceding page)

Following discussion of needed repairs and/or redecorating the interior of the Library, Mr. Browne moved that Mr. Benson be authorized to ask the town for $5300.00 as estimated in the proposed budget; increasing the amount if necessary to cover costs of repairs and redecorating. Motion seconded by Mrs. Moore. Motion carried.

It was decided to ask: Mr. True to check bathroom; Mr. Reynolds to check Hot Water Heater; several painters to submit estimates on redecorating.

Mr. Browne volunteered to put covers on Shrubbery Thursday P.M.

A schedule of duties was drawn up for Mrs. Olesen. This list to be typed and given to him.

Meeting adjourned. Respectfully submitted
Martha C. Moore Sec.

Dec. 8, 1977

The December meeting of the Taylor Library Trustees was opened by Ch. Grant Benson Jr. at 8:05 P.M.

Trustees present:
Grant Benson Jr.
William Browne
Linda MacDonald
Annabell Hastings
Martha Moore.
Also:
Ruth Varney, Lib.

Secretary's report read and approved.

Treasurer reported balance on hand of: $689.00. Report approved.

Mr. Benson reported all projects completed except covering shrubbery.

Mr. Benson read the proposed budget for 1978-79, noting increases in costs of: fuel; electricity; library materials; salaries; proposed salary of Asst. Librarian. Total budget: $9200.00. Interest from Trust funds and unexpended balance leaves a balance of $5200.00 to be contributed by the Town.

Mrs. MacDonald moved Budget be accepted as read. Motion seconded by Mr. Browne and Mrs Hastings. Motion carried.

Mr. Browne moved that a vote of thanks be extended to Mr. Benson. So voted.

Mrs. Moore reported on S.E. Advisory ~~Board~~ Council meeting at Atkinson. Report was accepted. Mr. Benson will investigate the Legal Responsibilities of the Trustees as detailed in the report.

Mrs. Moore was elected Delegate to the S.E. Advisory Council for 1978.

Mrs. Varney showed copies of complaint request forms to be used by patrons filing a complaint.

Meeting closed at 9:10 P.M. Respectfully submitted
Martha T. Moore Sec.

Nov. 28, 1978

Trustees present:
Glenn Allen
Grant Benson Jr.
Wm. Browne
Annabell Hastings
Martha Moore
Lib. Ruth Varney

Meeting opened by Chairman Grant Benson Jr.
Sec. report read and approved.
Treas. report accepted as read. Balance on hand $4080.00.

Chairman Benson passed out copies of the Estimated Budget for 1979-1980 and opened the discussion, explaining rise in some areas. It was noted that some expenditures for plumbing would be made since the Library will be drawing water from the new well at the 1st Church. The change is being made because of the change in ownership of Francis-Varney residence. Also adding storm windows to Basement windows.

Approved Estimated Budget to be presented to Budget Committee by Mr. Benson. It was agreed to give the Librarian a sum for Petty Cash.

Request for appropriation of $5000 from Town.

Delegate Mrs. Moore gave a report of the Fall meeting of the So.-Eastern District Advisory Council at No. Hampton. The meeting dealt with Legal aspects of Library Management.

Mrs. Varney, Librarian reported on a visit by representatives of Division of Vocational Rehabilitation in Portsmouth. To fulfil the requirements listed in their report would require a new building, for the present building is not large enough to make the changes. No action was taken at this time.

The Survey of Patrons' wishes with regard

to opening days was presented and discussed. It was moved by M. Moore, seconded by Wm. Browne to file the report for reexamination in a year. Motion carried.

Meeting closed at 9:20.

Respectfully submitted,
Martha C. Moore, Sec.

April 19, 1979

Trustees present
Grant Benson Jr.
Glenn Allen
Wm. Browne
Linda MacDonald
Anne Hastings
Martha Moore
Librarians
Ruth Varney
Anne Hastings

Ch. Grant Benson, Jr. opened the meeting.

The Secretary's report was read, and approved.

Treasurer reported a balance $8100.00. Report accepted.

Mrs. Varney reported that Holmes & Wheeler had been called to correct the cause of odors emanating from the burner. Following discussion it was decided to ~~consider~~ include this in the 1980-1981 budget. Also tabled, a proposal for expanded use of basement.

Ch. Benson reported approval, by the Selectmen, of the appointment of Mrs. Hastings as Head Librarian to fill vacancy following Mrs. Varney's Retirement on May 1st. Mrs. Marjorie Palmer was appointed Trustee to fill~~ed~~ vacancy caused by Mrs. Hastings' resignation. Mrs. Palmer's ~~be~~ term expires Mar. 1980.

Mrs. Moore, Delegate reported on Apr. meeting of S.E. District Advisory Council. It was suggested that the Trustees contact their State Senator, Ward Brown concerning the passage of H.B. 198.

Meeting closed at 9:20.

Respectfully submitted, Martha C. Moore, Sec.

Trustees' Meeting:

Trustees Present

Grant Benson Jr.
Wm. Browne
Marg. Palmer
Linda McDonald
Glenn Allen

Librarian
Annie Belle Hastings

Meeting called to order by Ch. Grant Benson Jr. at 8 P.M. The Budget was read, and Mr. Browne moved to accept it, motion was seconded by Mrs. Palmer. All in favor.

There was a discussion of custodial service. It was decided to drop the salaried position and hire the custodian on an hourly basis. The custodian will be asked to keep a time card to give to the Trustees that they may have a clear idea of the duties and the time consumption necessary for proper appearance of the Library. A motion was made by Mrs. McDonald and seconded by Mrs. Palmer to contact Mr. Olsen first and Mr. Hastings second to perform the duties as prescribed. Motion passed, all in favor.

There was a discussion of Saturday hours and survey results were reviewed. Mrs. Palmer moved to have additional Library hours on Saturdays from 10-2 starting Jan. 5th, 1980. Mr. Browne seconded the motion. All voted in favor.

Mrs. Hastings was appointed official publicity person.

The need for a new furnace was discussed, also new ducts, new blower, and new burner. Dick Reynolds quoted a price of $1900.00, Russell Carson

quoted $3600.00. It was also noted we might need new drums. There was further discussion of placement of the furnace and barrels in lieu of future development of a children's room and/or a future Conference room. Mr. Brown moved to contract Dick Reynolds to do the work as soon a possible, motion seconded by Mrs. McDonald. All voted in favor.

Mrs. Hastings read us a portion of a letter she received from the State outlining the change in Bookmobile Service. Although the funds for the Bookmobile have been sharply decreased, Taylor Library will continue to have service through the new Van system.

Mrs. Hastings also mentioned the Children's Story Hour which is held on the 3rd Wednesday of each month. Each Story Hour has had an increased attendance.

Ch. Benson reported that the East Derry Fire Dept. recommended we have a Fire Alarm System connected with the East Derry Fire Station. Several Board members suggested we investigate the possibility of a system in conjunction with the furnace. Or a Smoke Detector Unit that could be wired to an Outside Alarm Bell. Mr. Browne made a motion to take the matter under advisement. Motion seconded by Mr. Benson. All voted in favor.

Ch. Benson informed the Board that Mrs. Hastings, our Librarian, had passed the Library Techniques course and was presented with a Certificate of Library Techniques.

Mrs. Hastings told us of the Merri-Hill-Rock-Coop. She reported that at present we were purchasing from the same firms at the same percentages. It was felt the only gain was, at the present time, the benefit of the Librarian camaraderie. Mrs. Hastings will keep the lines of communication open.

Respectfully submitted,

Linda McDonald, Sec. Pro Tem

Jan. 13, 1981

Trustees Present:
Grant Benson, Jr.
Glenn Allen
Wm. Browne
Linda MacDonald
Marjorie Palmer
Martha C. Moore
Librarian:
Annabell Hastings

Meeting opened by Ch. Grant Benson Jr.

Secretary's report was read and accepted.

Treasurer reported a balance on hand of $4700.52. Report was accepted as read.

Mrs. Hastings reported that the new furnace was very satisfactory.

She reported that while the Bookmobile was still operating she expects the service will be curtailed. Also, we have joined the Merri-Hill-Rock. Coop. and soon all will be able to use Member Libraries.

It was reported Town Manager Young will take of Fire Alarm.

A letter of Thanks from Anne Ashton, for gift from Trustees of Taylor Library, on the occasion of her Retirement was read.

The Chairman presented the proposed budget for 1981. Following some discussion it was voted: to increase Insurance coverage to $50,000. for Fire and $300,000. for Liability; increase allowance estimate for Oil and Electricity; Librarian's salary to $3600. and Custodians to $600.00. Mr. Allen moved that Budget, with omission of Asst. Lib. be accepted as read. Motion seconded by Mrs. Moore. Motion carried.

Notice was given of sponsorship of Taylor Lib. of N.H. Writer's Program, on Jan. 28th, at Derry Lib.

Date of next meeting; Mar. 26th.

Respectfully submitted,
Martha C. Moore, Sec.

Mar. 26th 1981

Trustees Present:
Grant Benson Jr.
Wm. Brown
Marjorie Palmer
Mary Garvey
Martha Moore
Librarian:
Annebell Hastings

Meeting opened by Ch. Benson. New member of the, Mary Garvey introduced.

Secretary's Report was accepted as read.

Treas. reported a balance of $3112.12 on hand. Also reported that the Library's Cash Refunds have been transferred to a Now Acct.

Report accepted as read.

Ch. Benson reported that Town Man. Young added $500.00 to Budget Fuel Estimate.

The following slate of officers was elected:

Ch. Grant Benson Jr.

Sec. Marjorie Palmer

Treas. Grant Benson, Jr.

D.A.C. Delegate - Mary Garvey.

Mrs. Hastings, Librarian reported:

1. Notice of D.A.C. meeting on Apr. 9th and information concerning this was given Mrs. Garvey.

2. Notice of Showing of Movie, Snow White at Temple on Apr. 8th, afternoon for children. This is sponsored by Taylor and MacGregor Libraries in observance of Library Week.

3. Curtailing of Book Mobile. Discussion of borrowing from Exeter branch of State Lib. included ins. coverage of books transported in private car. Mr. Benson volunteered to investigate Ins. Coverage.

The Sec. read a letter of Thanks from Mr. Olsen for basket of fruit received during his illness.

Date set for next meeting: Thurs. Oct. 8th.

Meeting closed, 9:25. Respectfully submitted,

Martha C. Moore, Sec.

October 8, 1981

Present:
Grant Benson Jr.
Glenn Allen
Lillian Brown
Mary Garvey
Marjorie Palmer
Anne Hastings, Librarian

Chairman Grant Benson Jr. called to order a meeting of Taylor Library trustees at 8:05 P.M. The Secretary's report of the March 26th meeting was read and accepted. The treasurer reported $8800. in unexpended town funds, a checkbook balance of $1903.89, and reminded us of $500. interest income every six months in trust funds. The secretary read a note of thanks from Suzanne Graves of the Merry Junior Women's Club for use of the library for their past three monthly meetings. Glenn Allen and Grant Benson agreed to meet with Jack Stearns regarding the trust funds, to contact Bill Manning about installing circulating fans, a wall plug, and to check the existing wiring. Mrs. Hastings reported that a gate is needed to keep small children off the stairway. The remainder of the meeting was spent in work session preparing the budget. The trustees approved the following:

	1982 appropriation
10% raise of librarian's salary to $4.15 per hour	$4,000.
Substitute librarian's salary	300.
Custodian's salary	450.
Social security	340.
Heat	1,500.
Telephone + Fire Alarm System	380.

Electricity	$ 420.
Insurance	400.
Travel Expense & Seminars	100.
Misc. Legal, Dues, Treas. Exp.	100.
Repairs & Supplies	750.
Magazine Purchases - Subs.	460.
Reference & Library Tools	400.
Book Purchases	1,800.
	$ 11,400.

Mrs. Hastings reported that she and Marjorie Palmer will be attending the October 14th fall conference of the New Hampshire Library Trustees Association at Concord.

Respectfully submitted,
Marjorie Palmer, sec.

Thursday, October 11, 1984

Trustees present
Grant Benson, Chrman
Warren Garland
Sharon Butterfield
Mary Garvey

Librarian
Marge Palmer

The Taylor Libary Trustees met October 11, 1984 at 8:00pm
Discussion over several unresolved issues composed the meeting.

Chrman. Benson opened the meeting with a copy of the new budget. No treasurers or secretarys report was read.

The trustees were informed that under state Library policy all trustees working on premises will be covered under Library insurance policies.

Mrs. Palmer asked if seasonal Library signs could be made to accomadate new hours 2-8 Tues and 10-8 thursdays for winter. This is due to Storyhours, also that we are the only area Library open this morning.

Librarian, Marge Palmer read her report since assuming her job, 1984

A formal complaint was read from a patron was read regarding the "quality" of "Almost Paradise" by Susan Isaacs and ~~the book~~ it was asked that the book be removed from the Library. The trustees agreed that this would be a form of censorship and a letter would be written to the patron expressing this fact. A motion was made by Grant Benson that all books held "out back" be put on the shelves as all other Libraries display the books considered "undesirable" to some patrons.

The trustees agreed to hire Mrs. Ann Hastings part-time to help Mrs. Palmer on her class days and with sorting & reorganizing Library material.

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Mrs. Palmer asked for the following Library aides...

a. a book truck

b. Childrens mobile browser

c. record display Case

d. magazine rack

A discussion of custodial duties and salary followed.

The front hall, still leaking, is due to leaky gutters and will be looked into.

Mrs. Palmer asked that Library handbook and policy be reviewed by Trustees.

It is hoped that a revised and complete formal policy can be agreed on to help with the decision making process.

Respectfully submitted

Mary Garney

MAR. 2002	Virginia True	2005
MAR. 2002	Ed Ciancio	2005
Mar 2003		3

year Elected		Term expires:
Nov. 1986	Laurie Garland 1 yr. term to fill Arthur Bryant's unexpired term required due to Mr. Bryant's move to Londonderry making him ineligible to run for office.	1987
Nov. 1986	Virginia True —	1989
Nov. 1986	Scott Lovejoy	1989
Nov. 1987	Mary Garney	1990
Jan. 1, 1988	Sharon Butterfield resigned	
Feb. 1, 1988	Stephen Nickerson appointed by Mayor Callette to complete Sharon Butterfield's unexpired term.	
March 1989	Marjorie Allen re-elected 3-yr. term	1992
March 1989	Richard Apgar elected 3-yr. term	1992
March 13, 1990	Virginia True elected 3 yr. term	1993
March 13, 1990	Elaine Rendo elected 3 yr. term	1993
March 12, 1991	Mary Garney " " " "	1994
March 1992	Marjorie Allen " " "	1995
March 1992	Richard Apgar " " "	1995
1993	Virginia True " " "	1996
1993	Elaine Rendo " " "	1996
March 1994	Pamela Otis " " "	1997
March 1995	Jeffrey Levine " " "	1998
March 1995	Richard Apgar " " "	1998
March 1996	Virginia True " " "	1999
March 1996	Elaine Rendo " " "	1999
March 1997	Pamela Otis " " "	2000
March 1998	Jeffrey Levine " " "	2001
March 1998	Richard Apgar " " "	2001
March 1999	Virginia True " " "	2002
March 1999	Elaine Rendo " " "	2002
March 2000	Pamela Otis " " "	2003
March 2001	Richard Apgar " " "	2004
March 2001	Candace Andrews " " "	2004

year elected

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1975 Glenn Allen (~~appointed~~ elected) to complete B. Schurman's term 1976
1976 Glenn Allen - 1979
1976 Wm. Browne - 1979
1977 Martha Moore - 1980
1977 Annabell Hastings - 1980
1978 Grant Benson, Jr. - 1981
1978 Linda MacDonald - 1981
1979 Gillian G. Browne - 1982
1979 Glenn Allen - 1982 — Term expires Nov. 80
1979 Marjorie Palmer appointed to fill vacancy caused by Mrs. Hastings' resignation. (Mrs. Hastings appointed head librarian to fill vacancy caused by Mrs. Carey's resignation.) - See minutes of April 19, 1979.
1980 Martha C. Moore - 1983
1980 Marjorie A. Palmer - 1983
1981 Grant Benson, Jr. 1984
1981 Mary Garvey - 1984
1982 Glenn Allen - 1985
1982 Sharon Butterfield - 1985
1983 Martha C. Moore - 1986 * deceased Jan. 84
1983 Marjorie A. Palmer - 1986 ** resigned July 1, 1984 to become librarian
* 1984 * Priscilla Gleason appointed to fill vacancy
** 1984 Warren Garland - appointed to fill vacancy

1984 Mary Garvey - 1987
* 1984 Grant Benson Jr. - 1987 Resigned 7-1-86
1985 Sharon Butterfield - 1988
1985 Marjorie Allen - 1988 elected for term to fill Warren Garland's office
1985 Joseph A. Crawford elected
July 1986 Mayor + Council appointed Arthur Bryant to replace Grant Benson who resigned July 1, 1986.

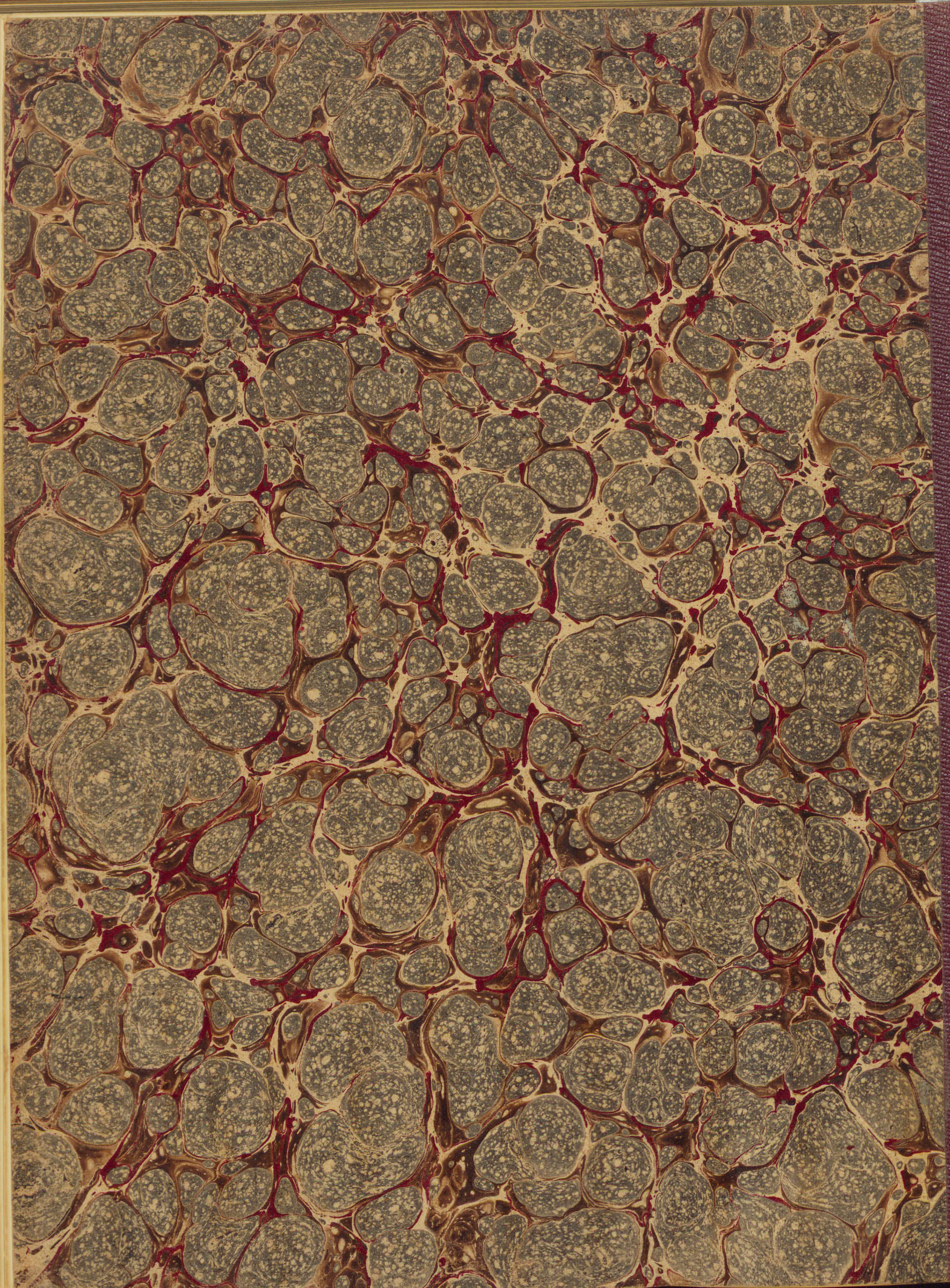
Trustees of Taylor Library (Cont from next page)

	Year elected		
Mabel C. Berry	1925		5 years.
John C. Chase	1926		5 years
L. Winslow Emerson	1927		5 years
Everett R. Rutter	1928		5 years
Alan B. Shepard	1929		
Mabel C. Berry	1930		
John C. Chase	1931		
L. Winslow Emerson	1932		
L. Henry Bailey	1933		
Alan B. Shepard	1934		
Mabel C. Berry	1935		
John C. Chase	1936		
Mrs. F. J. Grady	1937	succeeding Mr. Chase	4 years
L. Winslow Emerson	1937		5 years
Mrs. Grace Bailey	1938		
Alan B. Shepard	1939		
Mabel Berry	1940		
Mrs. F. J. Grady	1941		
L. Winslow Emerson	1942		
Mrs. Grace Bailey	1943		
Alan B. Shepard	1944		
Harold Hamilton	1945	~~(Abercrombie)~~	
Mrs. F. J. Grady	1946		
Paul Brickett	1947		
Mrs. Grace Bailey	1948	Ethel Hurlburt	
(Harold Hamilton)	1949	Alan B. Shepard	
Ralph Abercombie	1950		
Mrs. F. J. Grady	1951		
Paul Brickett	1952		

Year elected-

1953 Ethel Hurlburt
1954 Alan B. Shepard
1955 Ralph Abercrombie - Mrs. Milton White
1956 Ruth G. Wheeler
1957 Paul Brickett
1958 Mrs. Janice Dearth
1959 Alan B. Shepard -
1960 Mr. Milton White
1961 Mrs. Ruth Wheeler
1962 Mr. Paul Brickett
1963 Mrs. Janice Dearth
1964 Alan B. Shepard
1965 Burton Varney
1966 Mrs. Alice True
1967 Grant G. Benson Jr. 1972 Expired (Paul Brickett resigned)
1968 Martha C. Moore (3 years) (1971)
1969 Alan B. Shepard (5 years) (1974)
1970 Burton Varney (3 years) (1973)
1970 Barbara Schurman (3 years) (1973)
1970 Grant Benson Jr. (2 years) (1972)
1971 Annabell Hastings - 1974
1971 Martha C. Moore - 1974
1972 Grant G. Benson Jr. - 1975
1973 Barbara G. Schurman - 1974
1973 Kenneth W. Davis 1976
1973 Linda MacDonald - 1974
1974 Annabell Hastings - 1977
1974 Martha C. Moore 1977
1974 Linda D. MacDonald - 1975
1975 Grant G. Benson Jr. 1978
1975 Linda D. MacDonald 1978

Trustees of Taylor Library

Geo I Choate	1900	5 yrs
John C Chase	1901	"
Wm T Morse	1902	"
Greenleaf N Bartlett	1903	"
Fred'k C Saure	1904	"
Henry O Hill	"	1 yr (unexpired term of Geo I Choate)
Henry O Hill	1905	5 yrs
Walter S Clement	1906	2 yrs (unexpired term of G N Bartlett)
John C Chase	1906	5 yrs
Wm T Morse	1907	5 years
Walter S Clement	1908	5 yrs
Fredrick C Saure	1909	5 years
Henry O Hill	1910	5 yrs
John C Chase	1911	5 yrs
Wm T Morse	1912	5 yrs
Horace A Hill	1912	1 yr (unexpired terms of W S Clement)
Horace A Hill	1913	5 yrs
F C Saure John C Chase	1914	5 yrs
Henry O Hill	1915	5 yrs
John C Chase	1916	5 yrs
Wm T Morse	1917	5 yrs
Frank N. Warren	1918	5 yrs
F C Saure	1919	5 yrs
Henry O. Hill	1920	5 yrs.
A. D. Shepard	1920	4 yrs.
John C. Chase	1921	5 yrs.
Charles S. Emerson	1922	5 yrs.
Ralph W. Davis	1923	5 yrs.
Alan B. Shepard	1924	5 yrs.
Mabel C. Berry	1924	1 year (unexpired term of Henry O Hill)

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